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BOMB BASES IN TUNISIA

British Army Pushes Pursuit Of Fleeing Axis

Minefields Cause Some Handicaps In Chase After Retreating Rommel

ADVANCE WELL WEST OF EL AGHEILA

Rommel's Retreating Columns Struck Heavy Blows By Allied Air Arm

By W. P. SAPHIRE
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

CAIRO, Dec. 16.—Britain's Eighth Army, sweeping battered remnants of the Nazi Afrika Korps before it, has now advanced well west of El Agheila, gateway to Italian Tripolitania, the Middle East high command announced today.

The Allied air arm, preceding advanced armored units of the British army, struck heavy blows at German Field Marshal Erwin Rommel's retreating columns along the coastal highway as far west as En Nofilia, 95 miles west of El Agheila.

The communique from headquarters of Gen. Sir Harold R. L. G. Alexander, Middle East commander, said that Axis minefields sewn heavily throughout the coastal area prior to Rommel's retreat were impeding the Eighth Army's progress but by no means holding up the advance

Impeded By Mines

"Our leading forces, though still greatly impeded by mines, continue to harass the retreating enemy and are now well west of El Agheila," the communique said.

"Machine-gun attacks by night fighters which operated as far west as En Nofilia were followed by intense light bomber and fighter-bomber raids during yesterday."

Vehicles in the retreating Axis columns moving along coastal roads provided excellent targets for the Allied aircraft. Returning pilots

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PA NEWC OBSERVES

New Castle stores will begin keeping open on Thursday night for the balance of the shopping season before Christmas. Stores will close at six o'clock on Christmas eve, however. And by the way, Christmas eve is just one week from tomorrow night.

Gas rationing is causing a noticeable decrease in the amount of traffic on the highways of the district, Pa Newc is informed. Even parking on the downtown streets shows a decided drop in the past few weeks.

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Civilian Defense Trial board will convene tonight in city hall to hear alleged violations of the air raid drill and black-out of last month according to City Co-Ordinator Frank Sargent. He explained that when violations are asserted the board convenes, studies the reports and then if not satisfied they order hearings, hence tonight's session.

Daily Weather Report

United States weather statistics for the 24-hour period ending at 9 a. m. today are as follow:
Maximum temperature, 34.
Minimum temperature, 21.
Precipitation, .03 inches, snow.
River stage, 7 feet.

Statistics for the same date a year ago follow:
Maximum temperature, 33.
Minimum temperature, 22.
Precipitation, trace snow.

U. S. Aerial Offensive Mounts In Intensity Against Japs In Pacific

By JOSEPH A. BORS
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—America's aerial offensive today mounted in intensity throughout the Pacific against weak Japanese opposition, but the feeling prevailed in official circles that the enemy soon may unleash vigorous and perhaps desperate counter-blows.

In the Aleutians, the Solomons and New Guinea areas Japanese losses in ships, men and planes have been growing steadily under merciless pounding by American land, sea and air forces for weeks, and navy men believe that only a major enemy thrust could hamper the American offensive.

Japs Pushed Back

The Japanese in the Guadalcanal area have been pushed back repeatedly since the enemy suffered a major sea-air defeat in the battle of November 13-15, and at present U. S. planes are conducting an aerial drive to wipe out a new Jap airfield and installations on New Georgia, in the central Solomons.

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Boston Store Is Fire Gutted

Seven Story Building Scene Of Fire; Loss Of Near Million Dollars

CAUSE OF BLAZE NOT DETERMINED

(International News Service)

BOSTON, Dec. 16.—Fire of undetermined origin which threatened to sweep through the heart of downtown Boston, today caused damage estimated at nearly one million dollars and brought injury to 25 firemen and 34 coast guardsmen.

Sweeping through the seven-story Amory building, which houses the Sallinger's Clothing Company, one of Boston's leading stores, the blaze was brought under control only after a six-hour battle. The third general alarm fire in Boston within a month, it followed by slightly more than two weeks the fire which killed 490 people in the Cocoanut Grove night club.

The Sallinger store, more completely stocked than usual due to

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Former Governor Earle Nearly Hit By Sniper's Bullet

Lieut. Commander Earle Has Close Call While In Action In North Africa

(International News Service)

HAVERFORD, Pa., Dec. 16.—Lieut. Com. George H. Earle, former Pennsylvania governor, barely escaped death or injury when a bullet from a French sniper missed him by two feet during the Allied invasion of North Africa, it was learned today.

Commander Earle, an officer on a troop ship, was walking along the streets of Casablanca when the sniper fired, it was revealed simultaneously with the disclosure that the former minister to Bulgaria has returned to duty following a furlough here.

The former diplomat-governor was reported as greatly impressed with the efficient organization of the Allied occupation and the courage and morale of the soldiers. He himself stood watch for nine hours daily on the bridge of his ship.

Commander Earle arrived unexpectedly at his Haverford home and kept his wife and two of his sons, Lawrence and Ralph, up late with details of his experiences. His other two sons, George 4th, and Hubert, are in the navy.



Remnant Of Jap Landing Party Being Wiped Out

Allied Fliers Unleash Merciless Attacks On Northern Coast Of Papua

ATTACKS FROM LOW ALTITUDES

By LEE VAN ATTA
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

UNITED NATIONS HEADQUARTERS, In Australia, Dec. 16.—Allied fliers have unleashed merciless bombing and strafing attacks along the northern coast of Papua, New Guinea, in a determined effort to wipe out the remnants of a Jap landing party which came ashore at Cape Ward Hunt in an attempt to relieve trapped comrades in the Buna area, Allied headquarters announced today.

Simultaneous aerial assaults were carried out against the narrowing Jap pockets of resistance in the Buna Mission area south of captured Buna and Sanananda point immediately to the north.

Medium attack bomber and fighter planes conducted almost nonstop raids against the remaining enemy strongholds and against those Japanese who succeeded in landing near the mouth of the Mambare river, 40 miles north of

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Two Homes Are Damaged By Fire

Blaze At Noon Hour Threatens West Lawrence Street Structures

While B Truck company from Central fire station was at a fire on Croton avenue, just at noon today, a telephoned alarm summoned firemen to 121-123 West Lawrence street, where a good fire was just starting, but which was extinguished in remarkably quick time. The homes of William H. Lane of 123 West Lawrence street, and Mrs. Amy Morrison of 121 West Lawrence street, were damaged to the extent of around $400.

The blaze originated from an overheated stove in a room on the second floor, which was occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Lane, while the rest of the house was being repaired, but apparently no one was at home when the fire started. The fire broke through the side of the house and caught the outside wall of the Morrison home, and was burning when firemen with the A truck from Central arrived. They had the fire under control when reinforcements from Second ward and B company arrived.

Waste paper in a truck owned by the New Castle Waste Paper company had caught fire, which was the occasion for an alarm just a few minutes before the Lawrence street blaze. This was on Croton avenue, just off East Washington street. Some damage was done to the truck body, in addition to burning the paper cargo.

UNCLE SAMMY CLAUS



Congress Will Adjourn Today

Record Made By 77th Congress In Legislation Never Equalled

By WILLIAM S. NEAL
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—The 77th Congress fades out in sine die adjournment today leaving behind it a record of legislation and action hardly matched in the history of the nation.

The Congress, which has been assailed at times as a "rubber stamp" legislature, made the largest appropriations in the nation's history, passed the biggest tax bill and answered Axis attacks with declarations of war which have sent American troops and ships into virtually all parts of the world.

The 78th Congress, with its political complexion drastically changed, will convene on January 6 to launch a session that also may be historic in character.

Both the Senate and House had adopted a resolution to adjourn at close of business today. Only minor business was to be transacted. Major legislation was laid aside.

The usual gaiety which marks the ending of a session was absent. Scores of members were defeated. The atmosphere of war hung over the capitol, discouraging jubilation and personal compliments which frequently accompany an adjournment vote.

The last major act of the Congress was the $260,000,000 government pay raise bill which was awaiting President Roosevelt's signature. The measure revives overtime pay enjoyed by employes under army and navy jurisdiction up to December 1.

REPORT 11,000 KILLED

(International News Service)

NEW DELHI, Dec. 16—British officials today reported a terrific death toll of 11,000 natives killed in the Bengal area of India by a cyclone and tidal wave which swept a wide portion of the coast.

Countless thousands were made homeless and scores of those injured are not expected to live.

British soldiers figured prominently in rescues, wading barefoot in snake and crocodile-infested flood waters to carry injured natives to safety

Commander Of Transfer Army Camp Confers With Leaders In City

Wasting little time on preliminary remarks or descriptive phrases, Col. George H. Cherrington, commander of the Shenango Replacement Camp at Transfer, told a group of representative citizens Tuesday afternoon in the First Christian church the problems that would confront New Castle when the camp was filled with soldiers and what the military was asking New Castle to do in the matter.

The meeting was under the auspices of the Citizens' Service Corps of the Lawrence County Council of Defense. Attending were ministers, representatives of Bundles of America, cafe owners, bowling alley and billiard parlor proprietors athletic coaches and other citizens whose talents and business will be used in the caring for soldiers who come to New Castle from Transfer.

Real Problem

Said Colonel Cherrington, "first, I want you men and women to realize you will have a tremendous impact of service personnel from Transfer, once the camp is filled. We propose to provide as much recreation in camp as it is possible, but soldiers are only human and they like to get away from camp in their free time.

"We ask you in New Castle to provide entertainment for them in New Castle, but limit it to the kind of entertainment you would expect your son or mine to be offered.

"You liquor dealers are playing with dynamite in selling intoxicating liquor to soldiers. The only thing sold on the military reservation is 3.2 beer. We will have no trouble if you will dispense liquor to soldiers as you would to your own son. I am not thinking of any threats, and I do not want this statement so considered, but, I am responsible for your sons when they come to Transfer and if it becomes necessary we will do the thing we do not want to do, declare offending places "off

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Seven Killed In Bomber Crash

(International News Service)

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 16.—Seven men were killed and two injured when a four-motored Army bomber crashed, exploded and burned in a field last night, it was announced today by Maj. Ralph Page, commanding officer of the Army Air Force Service command at Lambert-St. Louis municipal airport.

The plane, a B-24 Liberator, crashed about 9:50 p. m., shortly after taking off. Major Page said. The scene of the accident is about three miles north of the airport.

Officials of the Topeka, Kan., Army air base, home field of the bomber today released the names of the officers and men aboard the ill-fated plane. The dead included: Lieut. Clarence E. Pyle Jr., Montgomery, W. Va., and Lieut. Stanley L. Rose, Camden, N. J.

Says U. S. Can Support Army Of 7,500,000

(International News Service)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16—Echoing the statements of President Roosevelt, Undersecretary of War Patterson today said that the United States was able to build up and sustain an army of 7,500,000 men.

President Roosevelt yesterday said that he could see no limit on the size of an army the United States can muster, and that the nation would support any sized force necessary to win the war.

Testifying before the Truman committee Patterson was asked whether the nation could equip an army of 7,500,000 and still care for the needs of other United Nations.

"Sure it can be done," Patterson answered

Allied Air Blows Wreak New Havoc In Tunisia; Axis Bases Are Blasted

By LEO V. DOLAN
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

LONDON, Dec. 16—Allied air blows wreaked new havoc on Axis bases in Tunisia today while German forces which penetrated to the outskirts of Medjez-El-Bab in counter-attacks against the British First Army were reported to have withdrawn from their advanced positions.

Deep thrusts by probing patrols of Lieut. Gen. Kenneth A. N. Anderson's forces in a wide arc northeast and southeast of Medjez-El-Bab, 35 miles west of Tunis, disclosed that the Germans had dropped back from forward areas where they were known to have been only a day or two before, dispatches from the battlefront said.

The war activity over Tunisia remained in the hands of reinforced Allied air squadrons with American Flying Fortresses, Liberator bombers and twin-engined fighters carrying the majority of the attacks to the enemy.

Little Ground Activity

While ground activity was confined generally to patrolling, American planes were said to be contin-

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Jap Bases At Buin Attacked

Bombs Also Rained On New Jap Airport On New Georgia Island

NO RESISTANCE IS ENCOUNTERED

(BULLETIN)
(International News Service)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16—Stepping up their aerial offensive against the Japs in the South Pacific, U. S. planes attacked enemy bases at Buin in the northern Solomons and for the sixth day rained bombs on the new Nipponese airfield on New Georgia island, the navy announced today.

Significantly, the navy stated that no enemy resistance was encountered in either raid on the Jap bases. Results of the two attacks were not reported.

The attack on Munda, New Georgia island, was the sixth raid in as many days against the enemy airfield which has been under construction there. The assault was made at noon by a striking force of marine and dive bombers from Guadalcanal.

By Long Range Bombers

The attack on the enemy airfield at Buin, on the island of Bougainville, 275 miles northwest of Guadalcanal, was carried out presumably by long range American bombers.

"No enemy aircraft were encountered and no anti-aircraft opposition was met," the navy said.

There has been little activity on Guadalcanal, where American ground forces have been stalking the isolated Japanese garrison.

On December 13, the navy said U. S. patrols destroyed two Jap machine gun positions and killed both crews.

Naval officials offered no explanation for the lack of resistance at Buin, which has been one of the main Japanese bases in the northern Solomons.

CLEVELAND FIRE

(International News Service)

CLEVELAND, Dec. 16—Ten fire companies today placed a $100,000 blaze at the Great Lakes Paper Box Co., under control after an all-night battle.

The three-alarm blaze destroyed the second and third floors of the building, and damaged the first floor offices and plant of a tarpaulin manufacturer.

DEATH RECORD

Wednesday, December 16, 1942

Mrs. Lyda McMurray Shaffer, 66, 622 Superior street.

Mrs. Florence A. Baird, 78, R. D. 1, Edenburg.

New Red Gains, Says Moscow

Fortified Line Northwest Of Stalingrad Captured By Soviet Forces

COUNTER-ATTACKS ARE ALL REPELLED

By NATALIA RENE
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

MOSCOW, Dec. 16—Charging Red army forces today captured a fortified line held by the Germans northwest of Stalingrad and ousted the Nazis from numerous strong points west of Rzhev on the central front.

In their advance northwest of the industrial city on the Volga the Russians were reported in field dispatches to have occupied an important strategic position but the point capture was not named.

The high command said in its noon communique that the Soviet offensives in the Stalingrad region and west of Moscow were continuing to move forward despite stubborn fighting by the desperately resisting Germans.

Blow Up Ammunition

In the northwest outskirts of Stalingrad itself the Russian troops blew up a valuable German ammunition dump in a daring night sortie.

"Northwest of Stalingrad," the communique said, "our troops fought active operations, improved their positions and captured a fortified line."

A pincers maneuver by the Red army southwest of Stalingrad caught a German infantry and tank force in a trap and the Nazi command strove furiously to send in reinforcement to relieve the surrounded troops.

Latest reports from the battle front said that all Nazi counter measures to break the Soviet grip

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WAR BULLETINS

(International News Service)

NEW DELHI, Dec. 16.—Allied fighter planes intercepted two formations of Japanese bombers attacking the Chittagong area of India and shot down at least three of the enemy raiders, an official communique stated today.

The raid against Chittagong, just across the border from Jap-occupied Burma, was carried out by two formations of Jap bombers escorted by fighters. Damage caused by the bombers was negligible and casualties were light, it was said.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—A special representative of the French high commissioner of Martinique will arrive in Washington today to

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Arthur Mometer



You can send her perfume or a housecoat, some flowers or candy. I know, you're bound to send something of value, some gadget that costs you some dough. You might send her sheer silken stockings, or skates she can use on the pond, but have you thought much of this wartime idea, for Christmas why not send a bond? She'll value the bond and your spirit, it will help to get on with the war, and she'll have her a gift of some value, the weather is cold, twenty-four.

Christmas Buying To Set Record

Holiday Spirit Is Not Checked

Christmas Business From Coast To Coast Is Reported Higher

WASHINGTON SHOWS GREATEST INCREASE

By WALTER KIERNAN
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Nobody shoots Santa Claus—and nobody can check the Christmas spirit.

Christmas business from coast to coast is up today—away up despite all the sermons on heavy spending and inflation.

And Washington—home of the economists—leads all the rest, closely followed by the war industry centers with the rest of the nation trailing.

Breaking Records

In the capital, Christmas shopping is breaking all previous records. Every week retail business is running from four to 40 per cent over the corresponding periods of last year. The past four weeks have seen Christmas business shoot up nine to 25 per cent over the corresponding period of 1941—and that was a record period.

Switching from Washington where the federal government is the largest employer, to Detroit where war industry is king, Christmas business for November was the best since 1929, according to the Retail Merchants' Association.

There was a 25 per cent gain over 1941 sales.

Detroit's trading population has increased by 350,000 in the past year and apparently it's 350,000 more persons to crowd into the retail stores which report biggest gains in luxury goods, particularly jewelry and so-called soft goods'. The buying trend is continuing right thru December with no let down.

This week's sales in Kansas City are 30 per cent higher than the corresponding week in 1941 and that, the Federal Reserve bank for the district says, is in addition to the fact that Christmas shopping began as far back as October.

Seattle, another war industry center with a population increase of 1,000 reports stores jammed with top paid war workers in their off hours and the biggest Christmas business in history. Regular salesforces have been augmented by 2,000 high school girls trained as clerks.

State Secretary of Commerce Mark S. James of Pennsylvania reports: Stores all over the state are jammed to capacity with customers and every indication points to record-breaking Christmas sales."

James cited war industry with more employment and bigger payrolls for the improved business.

Philadelphia's sidewalks are overtaxed at peak hours and Harrisburg says buying is heavier but Pittsburgh reports no boom buying.

Chicago retail business is running 10 to 15 per cent over last year and a December gain over last December is expected. There was heavy early buying in the mid-west city. St. Louis estimates the increase over 1941 Christmas buying at 10 to 15 per cent.

Columbus Retail Merchants Association puts the increase locally at five to eight per cent.

In New York, a non-war work center, department store sales are up nine per cent but the solid items, such as furniture and rugs, are up five to 15 per cent.

It may look different on March 15 but right now it looks like a merry Christmas and hang the economists.



Buy Christmas Seals

U. S. AERIAL OFFENSIVE IS NOW MOUNTING

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Growing might of the American air forces is indicated by the fact that the assault on New Georgia has been backed by U. S. and United Nations attacks from the Guadalcanal and Australia areas against powerful Jap bases in New Britain and the northern Solomons.

According to naval sources, the weak enemy opposition might mean that Japan's South Pacific plane fleet has been badly crippled and that the Japs are waiting for planes and pilots from the main base at Truk and Japan."

"Nips" On Defensive

In the Aleutians, also, the Japanese have been on the defensive at Kiska for months, and there is no indication that the enemy has been able to move in large amounts of supplies and men to counter the American blows.

However, conservative Washington sources warn that the enemy still has powerful fleet units which could be used for another sea-borne onslight against one or more of this nation's Pacific strongholds.

The Japs obviously are aware that the delay is giving the United States valuable time to push more men, supplies and planes into the various war theaters, and that within the next few weeks or months this nation will be in a strong position to continue its drive toward Tokyo.

This factor may be behind Nippon's feverish efforts to build a strong base and airfield on New Georgia, in the central Solomons; but American forces have moved quickly to neutralize this base through bombing attacks.

Assault On Munda

The current assault on Munda, in the New Georgia group, recalled that earlier in the Solomons campaign American planes practically wiped out similar, though smaller enemy bases on Gizo and Rekata Bay, also in the central Solomons.

Early in the Solomons campaign, Admiral Ernest J. King, commander in chief of the U. S. fleet, stated that the purpose of America's Pacific offensive was to "expel the Japanese from the Tulagi area and to make use of that area for our own purposes."

The vigorous opposition encountered by American forces prior to mid-November indicates that the Japanese still are not ready to pull back to their more powerful bases and that further enemy blows may be expected at any time.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to thank our friends, neighbors and relatives for kindness and sympathy extended us during our recent bereavement. Also, for floral tributes and cars donated.

MR. AND MRS. ALBERT BARTBERGER AND FAMILY. 1t*

Department of agriculture scientists have succeeded in condensing apple juice to a syrup that is more than two-thirds sugar.

Deaths of the Day

Mrs. Florence A. Baird

Mrs. Florence A. Baird, aged 78, died at her home, R. D. 1, Edenburg, Tuesday evening at 11 o'clock.

Mrs. Baird, born on a farm near Hillsville on September 3, 1864, a daughter of David and Mary Maury Hoffmaster, had spent all her life near Hillsville. She was a member of the Hillsville Methodist church. Her husband, John S. Baird, to whom she was married for 54 years, preceded her in death.

A daughter, Mrs. Joseph L. Fisher, and two grandchildren, John Baird Fisher and Florence A. Fisher, survive. Mrs. Baird was also preceded in death by two brothers and two sisters, leaving her as the last member of her family.

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Offutt funeral home, North Mercer street. Interment will be in Castle View Burial Park.

Friends will be received at the funeral home Thursday evening.

Mrs. Lyda McMurray Shaffer

Mrs. Lyda McMurray Shaffer, aged 66, of 622 Superior street, died suddenly at her home Tuesday evening at 9:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Shaffer, who had spent most of her life in New Castle, was born in Taylor township, Lawrence county, on October 2, 1876, a daughter of James and Catherine McMurray. She was a member of the Christian and Missionary Alliance church. For 44 years Mrs. Shaffer was married to Hugh McKinley Shaffer, who preceded her in death on November 19, 1940.

Survivors are the following children: Mrs. L. L. McClelland of New Castle, F. L. Shaffer of Erie, A. A. Shaffer of Erie, Mrs. Ed Hammond of Erie; two sisters, Mary McMurray and Mrs. Eva McCombs, both of New Castle; four grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services are to be conducted Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Cunningham funeral home, East Washington and Chestnut streeets, with Rev. J. H. Boon, pastor of the Christian and Missionary Alliance church, in charge. Interment will be in Graceland cemetery.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home this evening from 7 to 9 and Thursday afternoon and evening from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 o'clock.

Mrs. Elmer G. Brown's Funeral

Funeral services for Mrs. Nannie M. Brown, wife of Elmer G. Brown, 301 Boyles avenue, were conducted Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the R. L. Boyd funeral home, North Jefferson street. Rev. Oliver W. Hurst, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiated.

Pallbearers were E. J. McKibben, Paul Gibe, A. C. Millef, Jr., C. L. Martin, Abram Shaffer and Harry Remley.

Interment was in Oak Park cemetery.

Davis Services

Funeral services for Edward J. Davis, 212 North Mill street, were conducted Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Jos. S. Rice Co. chapel, East North street. Dr. J. J. McIlvaine, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, officiated.

Pallbearers were W. H. Young, William F. Marquis, Carl L. Hanna, David H. Long, George S. Long and Charles S. Augustine.

Interment was in Oak Park cemetery.

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discuss implementation of the new accord recently reached between the United States and the French West Indies authorities.

The special French envoy is Capt. Jean Le Noir, comptroller of finances in Martinique. This is the first time that Admiral Georges Robert, high commissioner of the French West Indies, has sent an envoy to Washington to confer with the American government.

UNITED NATIONS HEADQUARTERS IN AUSTRALIA, Dec. 16.—Post-humous awards of silver stars to three United States Army officers and six enlisted men were made today by Lieut. Gen. George C. Kenney, chief of southwest Pacific airforces.

Among those honored for gallantry in the action which cost their lives was Second Lieut. Philip Reece of Indiana, Penna., member of the crew of an ill-fated bomber.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16—Reporting that U. S. production has exceeded that of the Axis, Undersecretary of War Robert P. Patterson, today warned a senate committee investigating the war effort that any change in control of the program "might mean the loss of the war."

"A change would be disastrous now," Patterson insisted.

CHUNGKING—A new Japanese attempt to land troops on the Chinese coast north of Hainan Island was frustrated by Chinese forces it was reported today in an official communique. Hainan Island is opposite Indo-China and about 300 miles south of Hong Kong.

LONDON—Reuter's News Agency today carried a dispatch from the Italian frontier in which it is reported that Pope Pius XII is supporting a scheme whereby Rome will be declared an open city and thus escape possible Allied air bombardments. There are persistent rumors, the dispatch said, that Premier Benito Mussolini is taking measures to remove from the capital all objectives of military importance to comply with international regulations pertaining to open cities.

NEW YORK—The Chilean senate met last night in secret session "to discuss the international problem," the radio station Cooperative said today in a broadcast recorded by the F.C.C.

The art of manufacturing silk bolting cloth was first practiced by French Protestants in exile in Holland. At the beginning of the 19th century it was introduced into France and Switzerland.

BRITISH ARMY PUSHES PURSUIT OF FLEEING AXIS

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the command said, reported that a great column of traffic was streaming westward.

"At least one enemy fighter was shot down during small-scale air battles which developed," the communique said.

Naples Again Bombed

Gen. Alexander confirmed that the Italian port of Naples had again been successfully attacked Monday night. Large fires were started in the harbor areas of the port, embarkation point for Axis supplies and troops to North Africa.

The Axis-held airport at Tunis and objectives at the nearby port of La Goullete in Tunisia were pounded again in force the same night, the communique revealed.

Hits were scored on ships, jetties and a fuel depot.

The railway running along the Tunisian east coast between Sousse and Sfax also was attacked.

A beached vessel near Sousse was hit by a torpedo from a British naval plane.

Transport Planes Hit

At least four southbound enemy transport planes, in what was described as heavily escorted" air convoy were shot down by our fighters off Lampedusa Island, between Tunisia and Sicily.

Planes kept up their hunt for enemy vessels and the communique disclosed new successes against Axis supply routes. Two small enemy vessels, otherwise not identified, were attacked off the coast of Tunis.

Four planes are missing from the operations.

(A dispatch to the New Chronicle of London said that advanced units of the Eighth Army already were in the vicinity of Marble Arch, desert outpost 40 miles west of El Agheila. At Marble Arch the Axis had maintained an airfield which Allied planes pummeled continuously before the enemy defenses at El Agheila, gateway to Tripolitania gave way.)

The attacks against the Axis columns at En Nofilia indicated that Rommel had moved the bulk of his battered units half way to the town of Sirte after retiring from El Agheila when British Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery opened up artillery fire against the last remaining Axis defenses in the eastern province of Cyrenaica and increased his patrol activity.

Axis Uninformed

(Up until a late hour this morning the Germans and Italians still had not been told that their highly held desert commander, Rommel, had been forced to retire from El Agheila rather than face a repitition of the devastating offensive unleashed by Gen. Montgomery at El Alamein, Egypt—the drive that smashed with finality the Axis hope of gaining possession of Alexandria and the Nile valley.

(Axis broadcasts were preparing totalitarian subjects to receive the distasteful news, however, by referring repeatedly to the armed "superiority" of the British forces while at the same time stressing Rommel's "masterly" maneuvers in "fluid warfare.")

The sole detriment to the continued British advance lay in mine fields and "booby traps" packed with dynamite which the retreating Axis forces left in their wake to harass the Eighth Army.

(Unofficial reports available in London said some of Rommel's columns were more than a hundred miles west of El Aghella. There was some speculation whether Rommel will make a stand, using natural obstacles, at Wadi Kebir or Wadi Zemzem, nearly 200 miles west, or Misurata, the latter point is easier to by-pass and encircle than was El Aghella, it was pointed out.

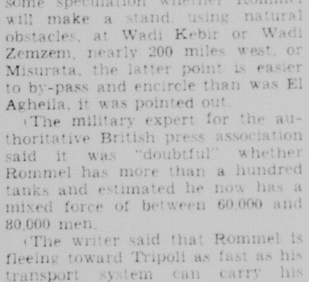
(The military expert for the authoritative British press association said it was "doubtful" whether Rommel has more than a hundred tanks and estimated he now has a mixed force of between 60,000 and 80,000 men.

(The writer said that Rommel is fleeing toward Tripoli as fast as his transport system can carry his forces. The enemy's rear guard is offering only slight resistance and putting up only delaying actions in the hope of saving something "from the wreck."

The Porcelain Tower of Nanking was built in that ancient capital of South China in the early part of the 15th century. It was an octagonal eight-story tower, 261 feet high. The Taiping revolutionists destroyed it in 1853.

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

Flying gloves are regularly issued equipment for American aviators. They are sturdy, well-made gloves and the army gets them in quantities for $1.50 each.



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COMMANDER OF ARMY CAMP CONFERS WITH LEADERS IN CITY

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limits." The Army can declare a place of business, an area or a city or town off limits when they transgress the rules. Any hotel, saloon, barber shop or restaurant not living up to the Army's standard of sanitation may be declared off limits. The two things most feared are social diseases and drunkeness.

What You Can Do

"How many soldiers will come to New Castle I cannot say. It will depend upon the length of time they are kept in Transfer and the transportation problem. We know they will come when the opportunity presents itself and we are asking you people of New Castle to provide the men with good clean entertainment. See that your pool rooms and restaurants are kept clean, see that dishes are sterilized.

"We are interested in what you can do for the men in the camp also. The recreation halls must be furnished and the war department does not provide funds for such things. Let me say that whatever New Castle can do in the way of furnishing recreation halls will be welcome. There will be many of them and they will require a lot of furniture and furnishings. We prefer new or reconditioned furniture. Everything from pianos to books can be used, radios, victrolas, tables and chairs.

Col. Cherrington spoke in a direct, soldierly fashion, presenting the picture concisely, stripped of any useless talk. With him was Captain C. E. Stern, his Operations and Training Officer.

Federal Man Speaks

Paul J. Maholchic, of the Federal Security Agency, Office of Defense Health and Welfare followed Colonel Cherrington. "What Col. Cherrington has said I want to endorse. He has presented a true picture to you. New Castle is the nearest city to the camp having decent hotel accomodations and for that reason alone we expect you will have a crowd in here.

"There are other problems with which you will be faced. The teen age problem for girls is one of them. I know New Castle will meet the problems that will confront it.

"In the matter of entertainment I would say dancing is number one with a soldier. Hospitality is second on the list. Invite these boys to your homes for a meal. They won't expect you to put on company manners, they are clean decent boys for the most part who appreciate the comforts of a home. You will do a vast service in inviting one or two to your home occasionally."

Mrs. Charles H. Johnson, head of the Bundles for America was the next speaker. She told of aiding in the furnishing of recreation halls in Florida last winter and said, "we have anticipated this problem here. Right now we have a half dozen pianos, some victrolas and radios and furniture which is to be sent to Transfer when the halls are ready."

Louis B. Round, Chairman

The meeting was headed by Louis B. Round, executive director of the Lawrence County Council of Defense. Said Mr. Round, "What we wanted from Col. Cherrington and Mr. Maholchic was a picture of what was expected of us. We have that picture now, the thing to do is to get to work. The Citizens Defense Corps is well organized here under the chairmanship of Dr. C. C. Green and I know the problems will be handled. It is important that all work in connection with camp or soldier activities, clear through one central office and the Citizens Service Corps is that clearing house."

Dr. G. S. Bennett, pastor of the First Christian Church and chairman of the Recreation Committee of the Service Corps spoke and said that it would take the co-operation of all the people if the job were to be done well. "I know it will," said he.

One New Castle man who was delighted to see Col. Cherrington was P. J. Flaherty, president of the Johnson Bronze. They have been friends for thirty five years and back in the days when the local plant was just beginning to get into the production of bushings and bearings, Col. Cherrington sold Mr. Flaherty much of the machinery and equipment he used then.

ALLIED AIR BLOWS WREAK NEW HAVOC IN TUNISIA

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uing their non-stop series of aerial blows against important enemy installations at Tunis, the capital the naval base of Bizerte and vital points along the Axis-held east coast.

Both Gen. Anderson and the Nazi commander, Lieut. Gen. Walther Nehring were understood to be concentrating on reforming and regrouping their land forces in preparation for a decisive clash to determine control of the French North African protectorate leaving the fighting temporarily to the air forces.

The military expert of the London Daily Express said that, according to information reaching him fresh Axis troops are pouring daily into the Bizerte and Tunis areas. In that sector, it was said, Nehring now has concentrated at least 40,000 troops. The Axis forces, however, are lacking in strong armor and heavy caliber guns, it was added.

Besides their almost continuous attacks on Bizerte, Tunis and the ports of Sousse, Sfax and Gabes to the south, American airmen struck heavy blows at Axis communication lines, principally the railways and roads running along the eastern coast of Tunisia. Attacks on the ports were centered on the dock areas and shipping while the airport at Tunis came in for a major share of Allied bombs.

United States aircraft were credited with downing or damaging 113 Axis aircraft to date with a loss to themselves of 35 and an additional eight missing. Of the Axis bag, 70 were known to have been destroyed

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Milwaukee Mayor Lost With Ship, Is Navy Announcement

(International News Service)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Lieut. Carl Frederick Zeidler, mayor of Milwaukee, was lost when the medium sized U. S. merchant vessel on which he was in charge of a naval gun crew was sunk in the South Pacific, the navy announced today. There are no known survivors.

Zeidler, aged 34, was the nation's youngest chief executive of a major city before he entered the navy on April 16.

The missing officer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Zeidler, yesterday disclosed in Milwaukee that their son was missing "in the performance of his duty and in the service of his country."

The navy offered no details except that the merchant vessel "has been overdue for several weeks and is presumed to be lost."

NEW RED GAINS, SAYS MOSCOW

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had failed and that the Russians were maintaining heavy pressure against the entrapped force and inflicting numerous casualties.

Repel Counter-Attacks

The Germans unleashed numerous counter-attacks but all were repelled.

On another sector of the front southwest of Stalingrad, the high command said, Soviet troops advanced and captured several centers of resistance while on still another sector the Nazis were dislodged from inhabitated places.

In the vicinity of Velikie Luki, westernmost point of the battle on the central front, the Russians were engaged in struggles to annihilate surrounded German garrisons.

The fiercest combat appeared to be taking place on the front west of Rzhev, 130 miles northwest of Moscow, where Soviet troops gained control of several more localities and launched a series of heavy assaults against the railway leading southward from Rzhev to Vyazma.

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REMNANT OF JAP LANDING PARTY BEING WIPED OUT

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Buna, after Allied fliers drove off the major portion of Jap troops which sought to come ashore from tfo cruisers and three destroyers.

Bombing and strafing planes attacked from altitudes as low as 30 feet to smash hard blows at the enemy troops who landed in the Mambare estuary sometime Sunday night.

The havoc wreaked by the Allied planes was described as terrific American and Australian fliers saw Japanese dead by the score floating in the coral dotted waters off Mamba village at the mouth of the Mambare.

Numerous supply barges were burned and sunk and stores the enemy managed to get ashore were set afire.

Throughout yesterday, Allied headquarters reported, Jap troops tried to swim in the waters of the Mambare estuary in an attempt to rescue or salvage at least part of the equipment which was brought by the warship convoy that was forced to withdraw. Fighter planes devoted special attention to strafing these swimming enemy forces.

Sunken barges and burned supply dumps on the beaches were plainly visible to the Allied fliers.

To make certain that no remnants of the Jap landing party were taking advantage of surrounding native huts for shelter the fighters and attack bombers peppered the huts in and around Mamba village.

"Our airforce continued incessant bombing and strafing attacks throughout the day on the remnants of the enemy landing force at the mouth of the Mambare river," the headquarters communique said.

"The entire area was strewn with derelict barges, wreckage and enemy dead."

The communique said that on either side of captured Buna Allied ground forces were maintaining heavy pressure on the besieged Japs.

The enemy's jumping off air base at Gasmata, New Britain Island was plastered, meantime, with tons of high explosives by a squad of Liberator bombers. They employed 500-pound missiles against the base.

BOSTON STORE IS FIRE GUTTED

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the Christmas shopping season, was completely destroyed with the loss in stocks alone estimated at several hundred thousand dollars. Other stores in the building also were badly burned.

Apparently starting the building's sub-basement, the fire swiftly swept upwards. Coast guardsmen summoned to help all available city firemen fight the blaze were among those overcome by smoke.

The condition of most of those injured was given as good. Many were treated at city hospitals nearby.

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150	78.14	52.85	40.19	27.55	21.24	17.45	14.94
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BIBLE CLASS HONORS DR. BENNETT AT DINNER

"Family Night" was observed by the Bennett Bible Class recently, when they met with the membership in the diningroom of the First Christian church for a tureen dinner event.

The highlight of the occasion, was the commemorating of forty years of preaching by their pastor, Dr. G. S. Bennett. In honor of his devoting forty years to the work of God, a handsome personal gift was presented to him. Also, a specitl anniversary cake was received by Dr. Bennett as an additional feature.

Informal pastimes followed the serving, and the committee in charge composed of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coates, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Yoho and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams.

RIDDLE-COVERT ENGAGEMENT NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Riddle of 208 Hillcrest avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Mabel, to George Raymond Covert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Covert, Rainey avenue.

No wedding date has been chosen.

E. M. B. Society

Members of the Edna Bennett Missionary Society of the First Christian church, will meet Friday evening in the home of Miss Jane Walls, 426 Boyles avenue, instead of the meeting place as previously announced. Miss Dolores Owens will be leader.

"OPEN CHURCH" FOR WAITE-McEWEN WEDDING

An "open church" wedding ceremony will take place in the First Christian church on Saturday evening, December 19, at 7:45 o'clock, when Miss Edna Eileen Waite, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Waite of 12 North Lee avenue, will become the bride of Harold Eugene McEwen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Foster McEwen of 112 North Ray street.

MILLER-JOHNSON DATE SET FOR DECEMBER 20

Miss Angeline Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Domonick Miller of 411 Sampson street, has named December 20, for the date of her marriage to Private Eugene R. Johnson, stationed at Paterson, N. J., and son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Johnson of 309 Bell avenue.

The ceremony will take place in the Peoples Mission on Sampson street at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, Rev. K. J. Johnson of Akron, O., brother of the prospective bridegroom, will officiate. He will be assisted by the Rev. William Gamble, pastor of the local Mission.

Loyal Leaders Class

Members of the Loyal Leaders class, First Christian church, will have their Christmas party at the home of Mrs. C. G. Horner, 305 East street, Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Wintering in Florida

Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Yoho of R. D. 3, have left to spend the winter months at St. Cloud, Fla.

RAINBOW GIRLS EXEMPLIFY WORK

Members of Assembly No. 1, Order of the Rainbow for Girls, were guests of New Castle Chapter No. 105, Order of the Eastern Star on Monday evening in the East Lodge Room of The Cathedral, when they exemplified their initiatory work before a large crowd of members of the Masonic fraternity and the Eastern Star.

Mrs. William C. Whieldon, Past Matron of the Chapter and Past Mother Advisor of the Rainbow Assembly introduced Miss Marjorie Allen, Worthy Advisor of the Assembly and her corps of officers to Mrs. Margaret Frank, Worthy Matron, and Henry Jackson, Worthy Patron, and the members of the host chapter and their guests.

Miss Allen presided in a most efficient manner and with the assistance of her fine corps of officers, initiated a class of 32 members in the beautiful and impressive ceremony of the order.

The Rainbow patrol, supervised by Mrs. J. W. McCreary, presented a pleasing patriotic drill, and the Rainbow choir, directed by Mrs. Clifford Propst added much to the evening's enjoyment, with their numbers. Special selections were given by Mrs. W. P. Felch, soloist of the evening, and a member of the Advisory Board of the assembly, who was accompanied by Mrs. James M. Pyle.

Mrs. L. A. Wygant, Mother Advisor of the assembly arranged and supervised the entire program for the evening.

Following the meeting, a delightful lunch was served in the West Dining Room by the New Castle Chapter.

This evening, members of the Rainbow Assembly will enjoy their annual Christmas party in the West Dining Room of The Cathedral, and a full evening's program has been arranged for the girls.

Darrell Wigton Honored

Honoring her son, Darrell on his ninth birthday anniversary, Mrs. J. H. Wigton entertained in their home on the New Wilmington road Saturday afternoon, a group of nine playmates of the honoree, as a medium of celebrating.

The time was spent with games and contests, prizes going to Richard Reynolds and Ronnie Kylander. A birthday lunch was served at a suitable hour by Mrs. Wigton with Mrs. George Schlumberger aiding.

A collection of personal gifts were received by Darrell as remembrances of the occasion.

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SHAPO-LEIDMAN WEDDING ANNOUNCED

Rabbi and Mrs. J. Shapo, formerly of New Castle, announce the marriage of their daughter Myrtle to Warrant Officer Samuel Leidman of Camp Gruber, Okla, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leidman of New York City, the ceremony having taken place at Floral Park, Long Island.

The vows were exchanged on Wednesday, December 9, 1942, with the bride's father, Rabbi Shapo, officiating.

Attending from New Castle were the bride's sister, Mrs. S. Skole and her son Lloyd.

Mrs. Leidman attended New Castle senior high school and graduated from Hunter college, New York. Mr. Leidman was graduated from City College in New York and New York Law school.

BALDWIN CLASS CHRISTMAS PARTY

A play, entitled "A Sensible Christmas," was presented at the Christmas party given for members of the Baldwin Bible class in Highland United Presbyterian church Tuesday evening.

Those taking part in the play were Mrs. June Bernard, Mrs. Scott Ligo, Mrs. Ralph Cline, Mrs. Charles Streib and Mrs. Roy Graham.

Christmas carols were also sung by the class, after which a tasty lunch was served by the hostesses, Mrs. Scott Ligo, chairman, Mrs. Mrs. John Haven, Mrs. R. Huston, Mrs. Sam Moore, Mrs. L. E. Pyle and Mrs. C. C. Wilson.

The teacher of the group, Mrs. Tom Lindsey, was presented with a beautiful gift from the class.

The next meeting will be held in January.

PEOPLE'S MISSION FAREWELL FOR PASTOR

Farewell services for Rev. William Gamble and his family were held Tuesday evening at the People's Mission, located on Sampson street.

Mr. Gamble has accepted a call to the Christian and Missionary Alliance church in Conway, Pa., and he and his family will be moving to that community after Christmas.

Mr. Gamble was presented with a nice gift at the close of the service last evening, the presentation being made by Herman Byler.

Several members of the mission took part on last night's program which included a duet by Angeline Miller and Mrs. Miles Kennedy and a trio by Mr. Gamble and two elders, Herman Byler and Clarence Thompson. Brief talks were also given by some of the members.

Thursday

L. A. B., Mrs. John W. Shaffer, Cunningham avenue.

M. L., Mrs. Albert Veri, Williams street.

Art, Mrs. Roy Conway, 215 Clenmore boulevard.

Reading Circle '06, Mrs. H. C. Mitchell, 137 East Winter avenue.

Junior Women's, Mrs. George F. Winter Jr., 2309 North Mercer street.

Star Castleers, Mrs. J. J. Alexander, Wilmington avenue.

J. F. F., Elks club.

Jolly Hour, 108 North Mill street.

M. N. C., Mrs. Mabel Howard, Cedar street.

Lo-Cour-Chee, Mrs. Raymond Good, hostess.

N. H. G., Nettie Irene Mann, Norwood avenue.

O. F. T., Mrs. George Tencer, hostess, at 933 Winslow avenue.

P. A. W., Mrs. Edwin Bame, Hanna street.

Wednesday Dinner, Mrs. Fred Kenehan, Dewey avenue.

A. G. F., Mrs. Hubert Cummings, Fairmont avenue.

K. O., Mrs. Kenneth Irwin, Ellwood City.

Reunited Ladies, Mrs. George Nolte, Hazen street.

Stamp, Mrs. Bonnie Richards, Atlantic avenue.

Amerita, Mrs. Andrew George, Sampson street.

Busy Fingers, Mrs. Domenick Maciariello, Huey street.

Colonial, Mrs. Louise DeLillo, East Lutton street.

C. R. C., Mrs. Fred Figuly, Cunningham avenue.

D. O. F., Mrs. Mary Pacelli, Agnew street.

N. B. B., Mrs. A. Bongivengo, Glass street.

REBEKAH CHAPTER BIRTHDAY DINNER

About 50 members and guests attended the annual birthday dinner given Tuesday evening in the First United Presbyterian church by the Rebekah chapter.

A Christmas theme was carried out in the dinner and in the program which followed. Included on the program were two selections by Dorothey Gormley Smith, accompanied by Mrs. Glenn McCracken, a reading by Patricia Brown, and a candlelight service by Mrs. Clarence Tilton, assisted by Mrs. Muryl Boyd as soloist, accompanied by Mrs. Lyle Hughes.

Arrangements for the party were made by the birthday dinner committee and the social committee.

Next meeting of the chapter will be held Tuesday, January 19.

TWENTIETH CENTURY CLASS HAS PROGRAM

The Twentieth Century class of the First Presbyterian church met Monday evening in the church parlors for a Yuletide program of a spiritual and inspirational nature.

The program's first feature, was an impressive candlelight service. In this service, composed by Mrs. J. A. McNeill, Mrs. J. J. McIlvaine and Mrs. Harry McKee, Jr., also took part, Mrs. McKee was at the piano for the musical selections.

Miss Lena May McConnell read a Christmas story by Heywood Broun, "A Shepherd." Miss McConnell's singing of "Silent Night," with Mrs. McIlvaine accompanying, concluded the program.

Business, over which president, Mrs. Francis Simonton, presided, opened with a devotional period of Christmas carols, in charge of Mrs. James Ball.

Committee in charge of the program was Mrs. H. E. Golder, chairman, Mrs. James Ball, and Mrs. George Ramsey.

Hostesses were Mrs. A. A. Webb, Mrs. Morgan Jones, Mrs. Robert Magill, Mrs. C. E. Armstrong, Mrs. Ola Crill, Miss Maude Elder and Mrs. Alice McKillop.

MOTHERS STUDY CLUB HAS YULETIDE EVENT

Mothers Study club members were most delightfully entertained Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Richard Davis of East Washington street when they joined for a Yuletide social event.

"Mystery Sisters" were revealed as a highlight, and following, pastime was found in cards and other diversions. At a suitable hour, a tempting holiday repast was served by the hostess.

Tuesday, January 5, the members will meet with Mrs. Gerald McCoy on Fairmont avenue, for the regular meeting.

E. N. C. CLUB GUESTS AT YULETIDE DINNER

A lovely Yuletide dinner party was enjoyed by the E. N. C. club membership Tuesday evening when they gathered at a suburban tea room as guests of Mrs. H. A. Anderson, hostess in charge.

A delectable full course menu was served at a nicely arranged table, and following, "sister gifts" were distributed. Informal diversions filled in the remaining hours.

Tuesday, January 12, Mrs. I. J. Lytle of East New Castle will entertain at the regular meeting.

Newlyweds Visit Here

Sergeant and Mrs. Oliver M. Hockman, bride and groom of December 9, have returned to Arlington, Va., where they have taken up temporary residence, after a few days' visit with the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Hockman, of R. D. 3. The bride is the former Miss Lula Maude Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hill, of Ashboro, N. C.

Sergeant Hockman is stationed at Fort Meyer, Va., where the wedding ceremony was performed Wednesday evening in the post chapel by Chaplain Russell T. Shilling. The single ring service was used.

For her wedding the bride wore a wool suit of winter white, with black accessories and a shoulder corsage of red roses.

Miss Dorothea Asher, of West Point, Va., attended the bride, while Technical Sergeant William J. Sandbrook served the groom as best man.

Imediately following the ceremony, the bride and groom left Fort Meyer for this city, where they have been visitors for the past several days.

Mrs. Hockman is affiliated with the U. S. Army Exchange Service. Sergeant Hockman, who was among the first army reserve corps members to be called to active duty, has been stationed at Fort Meyer for the past two years.

Pulaski Girl in Stunt Night

Miss Ruth Buchanan, senior at Flora Stone Mather college of Western Reserve university in Cleveland, O., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Buchanan of Pulaski, will participate in Stunt Night at the college on Friday evening, December 18. It will be given in Severance Hall, home of the Cleveland Symphony orchestra.

Miss Buchanan will take part in a musical skit which the senior class of the college will present, parodying some phase of school life. Because of wartime shortages, no new properties or costumes are being purchased this year.

A formal dance at the University club, Cleveland, will follow presentation of a silver cup to the winning class.

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Lein of Dalgeville, N. Y., announce the engagement of their daughter Elizabeth to Donald C. Porteous, son of Mr and Mrs. J. Paul Porteous of 235 West Moody avenue.

Miss Lein, a graduate of Memorial hospital, Albany, N. Y., is now studying at Asbury college, Ky.

Mr. Porteous, a student at the same college, is preparing for the ministry.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Class Party Later

Young Married People's class of the East Brook Methodist church will have its Christmas party on December 29 instead of this week as had been originally planned.

PANTHERETTE CLUB HOLIDAY GATHERING

Tuesday evening, the Pantherette club, held their Christmas gathering in their club rooms, South Mill street, chairmen being, Mrs. Ruben Pratt, Mrs. Anthony Fuleno and Mrs. James Fuleno.

Card playing and other informal pastimes were enjoyed. Following a delicious lunch was served by the chairmen, aided by Mrs. William Cubellis, Mrs. Victor DeChristoforo, and Mrs. Anthony J. Capezio.

Mrs. A. J. Capezio acting as toastmistress at the nicely arranged table, presented Mrs. Colombo Clause, retiring president, with a lovely gift. The latter responded graciously. Mrs. William Cubellis, new president, also made a few remarks.

Tuesday, January 5, is the regular meeting date, the hostesses being, Mrs. Frank Macchia, Mrs. William Cubellis, Mrs. Charles Tedescko, Mrs. Anthony Recuplo and Mrs. Nick Ambrose.

CORONATION CLUB YULETIDE MEETING

Mrs. E. L. Young of East Washington street was hostess Tuesday evening to members of the Coronation club at a special Yuletide party. "Sister gifts" were exchanged, and following, a round of 500 was enjoyed. Mrs. Elmer Hulme, Mrs. W. D. Howard and Mrs. James Shaffer received the awards.

Dainty refreshments were served at a suitable hour by the hostess, with Mrs. Hulme aiding.

On Tuesday, December 29, Mrs. Wood Anderson of Kurtz Place will entertain in her home.

F. O. E. Christmas Party

F. O. E. club members were entertained Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Henry Brenneman Meyer avenue, for their Yuletide party. Mystery sisters were revealed during the exchange which followed bridge.

Mrs. John Wallega was high score winner in the bridge play.

Christmas appointments were carried out for the lunch which the hostess served.

January 19 hostess to the club will be Mrs. Neyman McNally, 219 East Lincoln avenue.

Rachael Ferry Unit

Members of the Rachel Ferry Unit of Calvary Gospel Tabernacle were received Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Zelda Fowler on Court street for a Yuletide party. The event was in the form of a dinner, with 14 being served at 7 o'clock.

Business followed, with the retiring president, Mrs. Myrtle Jenkins presiding. Election of new officers occurred, with Mrs. Yvonne Holsapfel being elected president; Mrs. Jennie Phillips, vice-president; Mrs. Myrtle Jenkins, secretary; Mrs. Zelda Fowler, treasurer.

"Secret Sisters" were revealed and other forms of diversions were enjoyed until a late hour.

The next meeting, January 19, will be with Mrs. Sophie Donaldson on Lathrop street.

S. C. Club Meets

Knitting was the pastime for S. C. club members when they met Monday evening with Miss Mary Hroymak. Later a delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

Mrs. Helen Grodiger was a special guest.

December 28 the club will meet at the home of Mrs. Nellie Germick, Long avenue, for 6 o'clock dinner, with Miss Mary Smiezek and Miss Hroymak as hostesses.

PATTERSON AUXILIARY WITH MRS. O. BROWN

Mrs. Orville Brown, 407 East Lincoln avenue, was a charming hostess to members of the Patterson Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church Tuesday evening, with Mrs. Gerald Earl, leader of devotions.

An interesting discussion was given by Georgiana McNees on the chapter of the study book, "On This Foundation". The members enjoyed a bazaar later in the evening.

Special guests attending were: Mrs. R. Z. Galbreath and Mrs. Mary Bradford.

Dainty refreshments were served at a later hour by the hostess with the assistance of Mrs. Findley Boyd, Mrs. Earl Dufford and Mrs. Hazel Lightfoot.

January 19 is the date of the next meeting.

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OUR WAR WITH JAPAN

OUR tussle with Japan probably will last well beyond the end of the war in Europe.

The masses of men and materials needed to launch a full-scale offensive against the islands of the Rising Sun are tied up in Europe. The Japanese are strongly entrenched throughout the Far East, and at present every gain is slow and costly. Although Japan's naval strength is less than it was a year ago, her land force appears to be unimpaired, judging from the new offensive in China and the massing of troops in Burma. The enemy defeats in the Solomons and on New Guinea are due as much or more to lack of naval power to supply and reinforce than to any weakness of ground strength.

So the war in the East no doubt will linger on, with the United Nations on the "offensive defensive," until some time after Germany is defeated.

What is the pattern of ultimate Pacific victory when it comes?

The preliminary job is rolling the enemy back along his roads of conquest. This has begun in the Solomons and on New Guinea. It has scarcely been started in China, Burma and the Asiatic mainland.

But the whole purpose of the rolling-back process will be to get our naval and air power close enough to strike directly at the Japanese mainland.

The Philippines, East Indies and Singapore would be good bases for our growing fleet and its carrier-based planes. But our own commander in Asia, General Stilwell, is authority for the statement that the main blow must come from China.

China's long coastline, once under Allied control, would provide an excellent base for mass bombings of the Nipponese isles. Of course, American planes could bomb Japan now from Siberia, but Russia apparently has no intention of letting herself in for a war with Japan at the present.

Another vital reason for chasing the Japanese out of China is that Jap-dominated war industries in the occupied territory must be adding no little weight to Japan's own war production. And it is not inconceivable that if the Japs were hit hard at home from the sea, they might entrench themselves in considerable strength on the Chinese mainland.

So China, with its approaches—Burma, Indo-China and Thailand—may be the key to the length of the Pacific war.

CHICAGO METHOD

Preliminary to rationing of beef, the office of price administration has issued directions for standardizing the cuts sold at wholesale throughout the nation. These directions closely follow what is known as the "Chicago method."

They have to do with the nineteen so-called "primal" cuts into which a side of beef may be processed for sale at wholesale and describe the exact manner in which the cuts may be made.

The beef regulations will be followed by similar directives for veal and lamb. Pork already has been subjected to an official ukase.

Following are the "primal" beef cuts: Hind quarter, trimmed full loin, round, sirloin, short loin, flank, flank steak, kidney, hanging tender, fore quarter, cross-cut, shank, triangle, arm chuck, rib, short plate, brisket, fore shank and regular chuck.

While these cuts are reduced further for the retail trade, it might be helpful, in the coming scramble for meat, to know the values of each of these pieces to facilitate making a choice among the limited stocks.

FARM AND FACTORY

In a pre-war year 50,000 five-ton trucks would have been equipped to transport the farm products consumed by the du Pont interests in their chemical manufacturing. Today not only du Pont but all manufacturers purchase far larger quantities of farm crops in meeting wartime demand for chemicals and other necessities for the armed forces.

Products from farms and forests include vegetable oils, turpentine, cotton, cotton linters and wood pulp. Cotton linters and wood pulp are the source of cellulose which is essential in much war production, including smokeless powder. Corn contributes to explosives. Vegetable oils from flaxseed, soybeans, cottonseed, tung nuts and peanuts are used in many war products and also for household necessities. Industrial alcohol is made from molasses and grain and this alcohol in turn is an ingredient of synthetic rubber.

The outstanding example of the farm's contribution to war is supplied by the soybean. Twenty years ago this country grew less than 5,000,000 bushels. This year the crops totals more than 200,000,000 bushels which make oil for food, paint, varnish and medicine. The soybean also provides meal which science has found useful for human and plant food as well as one of the best protein supplements for livestock feed.

Food is high on the list of war imperatives. The farm is also the source of much that industry must have in time of war. And when peace comes the farm-industry tieup will continue and expand.

What Noted People Say

(International News Service)

NEW YORK—Claude R. Wickard, secretary of agriculture and food administrator—"The demand for food in 1943 will be so much greater that we must produce more, in spite of difficulties. Civilians will be able to get only 75 per cent of the food crop, the rest going to the armed forces and lend-lease."

TOPEKA, KAS.—Harry R. Woodring, former secretary of war, proposing a new conservative party in national politics: "I am convinced there is a wide-spread realization that we need a new political party which will carry on in the American tradition."

WASHINGTON—Senator Arthur Vandenberg, R. Mich.: "I am not a candidate and shall not be a candidate for president in the republican convention of 1944."

DETROIT—Governor Harold E. Stassen of Minnesota: "The walls of isolationism are gone forever and in their place we must build bridges of worldwide understanding and definite relationship."

Reports may quote the same words and still show bias. One says the Senator "roared" certain words; another says he "whined" them.

The Parent Problem

By Garry C. Myers, Ph. D.

CARING FOR CHILD NEIGHBORS

Until the community provides adequate care for the child of the working mother what may non-working wives and mothers do to help? They can help create community sentiment for such measures. They can help establish smaller centers in their clubs and churches to care for some of these children.

Furthermore, the mother, or wife without children, who does not work away from home, can make her own home a center for one or more children nearby whose mothers work. Over all the United States, on the farm, in hamlets towns and cities are scattered mothers who are working. Suppose you lived near one of these mothers. Suppose you told her you would be glad to keep her tot during the day or to have her child of school age stay at your house before and after school when she must be away. Could you render a more patriotic service?

Creative Fun

To the tot left with you, you might read often and guide him in creative fun with blocks and other playthings such as crayons, even with tools, scissors, saw and hammer. Or an older child of yours might help out. Then see the good you could render this little child.

Of course, you would need to have an understanding with the mother that the child of any age while in your care would be subject to your control; yet you would try to use as little force as necessary to this end.

Care Of School-Age Child

The school-age child in your care might profitably read some, listen some to the radio, engage in constructive amusement with tools with one or two neighbor children or play some non-running games. Some of these children in your care might be willing to help you about the house. All the better if the child you care for is of about the same age as a child of yours. It would be good eductaion for him and for your child.

Unless you and your neighbors take some of these children of working mothers in and befriend them they might soon become nuisances in the neighborhood. This service then might well prove a protection to you, your children and the whole community.

During peace or war, we make our neighborhood safer for our own children as we help tame and guide in wise ways the neglected children about us. How much better to try to build such children into good citizens than to ignore or ostracize them and let them grow up as pests, even as juvenile delinquents menacing us and our children.

A selected list of books from which to read to the tot may be had by writing me at 235 East 45th St., New York City, enclosing a self-addressed envelope with a three-cent stamp on it.

Solving Parent Problems

Q. What would you consider a good time for my children 8 and 10 to come into the house and go to bed during school days?

A. They should make a bee-line for the house each night when the street lights appear. When they should go to bed would depend much on the family program. They need about 11 hours of actual sleep. It might be well to allow the older to go to bed 15 minutes later than the younger, being "so much older." My chart showing desirable hours of sleep at the various ages may be had in the usual way.

Just Folks

By EDGAR A. GUEST

THE BOY IS IN MOROCCO

They were lands for moving pictures and geographies at most,
They were merely curious places of which rich men used to boast;
We'd an aunt who'd been to Egypt and had gazed upon the sphinx;
When she talked about her travels she's insist the statue winks
But the war has changed our notions—very small the world appears—
Now the lad is in Morocco and his cousin's in Algiers.

Once we thought the Bey of Tunis was a portion of the sea
And it took a war to teach us that a ruling prince is he.
I had seen the Streets of Cairo in Chicago at the Fair
Long before the birth of any Yankee soldier fighting there.
Now the family's more excited than it's been for many years;
For the boy is in Morocco and his cousin's in Algiers.

'Twas a world of distant places which we never hoped to see.
Spots from which came picture postals to amaze the family.
Only wealthy folks could travel or the boys who manned the ships,
For we'd neither time nor money for such long and costly trips.
But today it's all so different. We have world-wide hopes and fears,
For the lad is in Morocco and his cousin's in Algiers.

Hints On Etiquette

Do not be over sympathetic and drown your unfortunate friend in self-pity. You heart tells you to be sympathetic, but your head should keep it in decent check.

The French in Africa welcomed our forces, all except the 836 they killed to show what they could have done if mad at us.

Urging the nation to get tough apparently had its effects. Public prints and public officials are full of bad cuss words.

The Toonerville Trolley That Meets All The Trains — By FONTAINE FOX



HINTS AND DINTS

Sun sets tonight 5:36. Sun rises tomorrow 8:16.

According to what we learn the United States also has the best jails in the world.

Some people are wondering how butter patties can be made any smaller in public eating places. Some can hardly be seen now.

One thing sure, the tax is most always passed on to the consumer.

HAIRS ARE NUMBERED

In a book published more than 50 years ago the author states that after a careful count he found that the number of hairs on a man's head, who is in the prime of life, was 89,280. If you doubt the book, count 'em! The book further states that if a girl's hair is only 18 inches in length, she will have about 133,920 feet of hair.

Noah had snooped all the animals off the boat and was making a final checkup when he found two snakes.

"Didn't I tell you folks to get off the Ark and multiply?" demanded Noah.

"Yes, sir," replied one of the snakes. "But you see we can't do that. We're adders."

Conversation by customer and salesman:

Customer: "Will this suit hold its shape?"

Salesman: "Absolutely, that suit is made of pure virgin wool."

Customer: "I don't care about the morals of the sheep. Will it hold its shape?"

Of course Santa Claus will not get so many letters this year, either. Nobody will ...e much about that.

Diner—Here, waiter, I've found a book and eye in this chicken salad. How do you explain that?

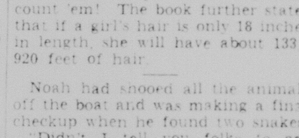
Waiter—Oh, dat sah. Dat am part of de dressing, sah!

Maude (at party)—Well, my lovely round rival, I believe you are going to lose your prowess.

Mabel—Sh-h-h-h! Not so loud. Give me a pin.

Columbus, it has been said, expected to find a land inhabited by wild women. Of course he was wrong then, and wouldn't be more than half right now.

Borrowing trouble is an old gag. Few people find it necessary.



Soap can save fuel. If the kids use more, the teacher won't have to open a window.

Every day in every way the army and navy are becoming go-getter and go-getter.

"We've been expecting Office Grouch to say something like this, and here are the words he blurted out yesterday:

"If some of these women can fill their jobs in defense plants as well as they fill the pants in which they plant themselves, there'll be no 'slacking' in production of war materials."

We hear some one most every day say something about going back to the horse and buggy days. One man put it this way: "I could use a horse if I could find a buggy, and if I found a buggy there's the worry of where I could find a horse."

Live your life so that someone will not have to follow you to fix the mistakes you should not have made.

The crowd isn't drunk because it is full of boos.

It is interesting to go into a school room you were in forty or fifty years ago. It brings back a lot of old memories.

WITHOUT A TRACE

An old bachelor was kissed by a beautiful maiden, and he sighed deeply and said, "When you kissed me, love was born."

The girl replied, "That's fine; now wipe the birthmark off your lips."

A Pittsburgh lawyer was sentenced to ten days in jail for sassing a judge. After the lawyer apologized the sentence was suspended. Sometimes even lawyers can afford to apologize to judges. Some have a lot of reason to apologize to witnesses.

What has become of the old fashioned person who told ghost stories?

How many oldsters can recall a certain house in their childhood days that was said to "haunted?"

Yes, there were people who actually believed in ghosts!

Good Taste

Pat. U. S. Patent Office



LIKE YOUR OWN SEX

Just as every boy should be taught to become a man among men, every girl should be taught to become a women among women. Each of us should learn to like his or her own sex. Men who associate almost entirely with women become soft and women who associate almost entirely with men become hard.

Beware of a girl who is unpopular with the other girls at school or in her crowd, and of the woman at whom the other women in her afternoon bridge club or other feminine circles look askance.

The girl in the office who goes to lunch with one of the other girls as often as with one of the men remains popular with both sexes. Indeed, if you will study the workers in any large organization, you will find the girl who is popular with the right kind of men is almost invariably one who is generally liked by her own sex. Subconsciously, worthwhile men are usually influenced by what their women friends think of girls with whom they go around. Of course, I am referring to the substantial attraction between the sexes that leads to marriage.

This is an age when women, young and old, can pal around together in cafes and places of amusement without male escorts. In other words, our sisters have won their liberty and no longer sit languishing at home when no man happens to invite them out.

Question: My fiance is going to the hospital to be operated on. He will be there two or three weeks. I have never been to visit a man in the hospital. Do I take flowers?—Georgette.

Answer: Either send or take flowers to him about twice a week. If he is fond of reading, give him a good book or two.

Tomorrow: What Is A Dinner Dress?

Miss Markel will promptly mail personal answers to questions from any reader inclosing self-addressed 3-cent stamped envelope.

LIFE'S LITTLE AGONIES

A speed fiend had taken a friend for a ride. They had dashed around curves on two wheels, down hills under full power and through traffic at breakneck speed.

"Wee! Don't you feel glad you are alive?" the demon turned and yelled at his companion.

"Glad!" reiterated the timid one. I'm amazed!"

The more big things New Castle does the more it will grow. Doing big things is a good advertisement for cities as well as for people.

Often people ask for relief when they have too much of a good thing.

It may be old but it's good. "Who's that lady I saw you outwit the other day?"

O my gosh! If the printer puts an "h" on outwit he will spoil the gag.

Democracy in action: Filling stations told to write your car's number on the back of coupons; coupons stuck on a card so the backs can't be seen.

When Hitler appoints a man to some important job it's always a "yes" man. That seems to be the rule with so many alleged leaders.

No, we are not going to Florida or any other place until the war is won. We don't know where we will go if we lose it, but it may be a hotter place than Florida.

Hi Hum says the man who has to buy a war bond to have a pretty girl kiss him ought to get married. He usually is.

"And after you had poisoned the coffee and your husband sat at the breakfast table partaking of the fatal poison, didn't you feel any qualms?" demanded counsel of a woman charged with murder. "Didn't you feel the slightest pity for him? Didn't the fact that he was about to die and was wholly unconscious of it excite your sympathy? As he sat there, didn't you feel for him at all?"

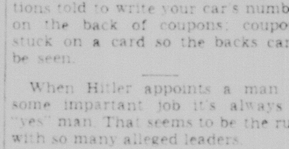
"Yes," said the prisoner, "there was just one moment when I felt sorry for him."

"And what moment was that?"

"When he asked for a second cup."

A girl who has been there says there are a lot of wolves in New York everywhere about town except in the Lamb's Club.

Why can't all motorists obey the rules? You don't see any pedestrains going faster than 35 miles an hour.



If it authorizes one adult to train, supervise and remodel another, it is marriage or war.

Horace was suffering the luxury of a cab trip the other evening when he had to pay a rush call on some creditors.

The cab roared past the destination and Mr. Titefist got worried.

"What's the matter?" he cried to the driver.

"Can't stop the cab," roared back the cabbie.

Mr. Titefist wrung his hands.

"At least, maybe you could turn off the meter," he said finally.

A young farmer went into a store to get some feed for his hogs and was waited on by a new clerk, a young lady." I want some shorts for my hogs," the farmer said. "Oh, you are one of those smart guys," the lady clerk retorted. "Next I suppose you will be coming here for brassieres for your cow."

We wonder what elderly married people find to quarrel about.

You will find that you will feel mighty good after you have bought a lot of War Bonds. Try it and see if you don't.

Lots of hunters passed the buck this year.

What's What At A Glance

Consolidating All Forces Tough Problem
Military Aviation Bothers Army And Navy
Causes Antagonism Between Two Branches

By CHARLES P. STEWART
Central Press Columnist

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Military aviation is the mischief-making influence responsible for so antagonizing the Army and Navy with one another that they scarcely exchange greetings any longer when they meet in pursuit of their respective activities. This is not to mention mutual charges of incompetency, cooperative indifference and miscellaneous other faults and weaknesses, short of actual cowardice, but just about as disorganizing as even that would be—only it isn't alleged up to that degree of awfulness from either direction.

In days of yore, before aviation butted into the situation, Army-Navy relationships were very pleasant.

The two services were pretty completely separated. The Army didn't have anything to do with sea fighting and the Navy, of necessity, confined itself to maritime responsibilities. If occasionally, some complication developed itself that called for united effort, the two aggregations weren't rivals; they were partners, and appreciative of their exchanges of helpfulness. A sailor wasn't impinged on by a landsman or a landsman by a sailor. Their divergent elements made such complications impossible.

Then, by degrees, aviation began to worm in, and by middling swift degrees, too.

In the last war it didn't amount to much. So far as planes were concerned, it was largely observational. There was a modicum of gas-inflated belligerency, as by bomb-dropping Zeppelins, notably over a few spots in London. Nobody greatly worried about 'em.

An Arm Now

Now, though, the infernal planes are an ARM.

They are as important as Army or Navy—possibly more important than the two of 'em in combination.

Okay, the Army wants to annex 'em. So does the Navy.

They're Army weapons, according to the war department. They're naval, according to the Navy bunch.

They're an arm that the two services are fighting for control of.

But the beauty of it is that aviation wants to be independent—a distinct department.

What, then, is the order?

Three cabinet departments? Army, Navy and aviation?

Or should they be compacted into one?—a single WAR department?

That's being strongly boosted for.

There are authorities who contend that the aviators overly plug for their service.

The theory is that their army is

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One Man's Opinion

By WALTER KIERNAN
(International News Service Staff Writer)

The first soldier ever ousted from the army for wilfully exposing a flank has left Fort Des Moines.

She was the first WAAC to get into action.

But she was AWOL—absent without lingerie.

She was doing her bit for civilian morale but it happened to be a strip tease bit.

After one ride in a jeep how could she help doing the "bumps?"

When you get 8,000 women together you must expect to find one slip. But she should be in it—not making it.

Although the government had issued her a full uniform they had nothing on her when she was found.

When they ask her what she did in the great war she can say "I was in the front line—third from the end."

Well the army will have to get along without her but they'll be thinking of her when they strip for action.

Thought for the Day: It's a WAACY world.

Daily Dozen

(From the Medical Society of the State of Pennsylvania)

Ophthalmology has to do with the eye and its diseases.

Ophthalmologists see many foreign bodies in the eye.

One ophthalmologist removed 1800 foreign bodies from eyes.

Particles of steel comprised 98 per cent of the objects.

Other foreign bodies included glass, lead and stone.

Eighty per cent of the steel bits came from defective tools.

A workman strikes the head of a chisel with a hammer.

The edges of the chisel are mushroomed or overhanging.

A small particle of the chisel is broken off.

It flies, whirling, into the worker's eye.

Inspection of tools is important in industry.

The wearing of non-breakable goggles or shields will save eyes.

Words Of Wisdom

Tyranny is always weakness.—J. R. Lowell.

Arnold says national fire insurance companies took 438 million from the Southeast while paying only 198 million. Must have strained the old carpetbags.

The World and the Mud Puddles

THE FIRST YEAR

December 7, 1942, was the first anniversary of a black day in American history—the attack on Pearl Harbor. From the day following, December 8, 1941, the United states has been officially at war, one year.

A year of war is never other than tragic to look upon, in many respects. Thousands of deaths, men lost as prisoners, anxieties, griefs, military reverses, civilian sacrifices—all are inevitable in every year of every war. And victory seems far ahead at this time.

A comparison of America's position, now, however, with her position at the end of the first year of the first World War, shows that we are vastly better off now than we were then.

At the year's end, in 1918, Russia had collapsed. Germany had concentrated all forces in the West, the tremedous Battle of Somme, with Europe's fate in the balance, was raging. Now, Germany has failed to escape the fate of fighting on two fronts. Russia has not failed.

In 1918, American artillery units were obliged to borrow artillery from the French—so inadequate was our own production! Now, America is not only fully supplying her own new Army with best weapons of every type, but is producing and delivering vast armaments to her allies.

America has far more troops under arms than in April, 1918—and they are better trained, more thoroughly seasoned. Hundreds of thousands of them have been in training longer than the entire period of our participation in the first World War.

Then, in our inexperience and experimental haste, we built planes unfit to fly—built ships, in hundreds of instances, so unseaworthy that they never left port, and rotted in harbors until sold for junk. Now, because industrial and military brains profited by the lessons of '17-'18, America has built soundly as well as swiftly, and is on the way to creation, in the next year, of the finest fighting force in history, backed by a mighty industrial force of machines and workers.

What this nation has accomplished in one year of war is cause for confidence that America shall develop power to achieve final victory.

LOOKING AT LIFE

—By Erich Brandeis

I walked into a haberdashery store and asked to see some shirts.

I had never been in that particular store before, and the clerk, a friendly sort of a chap, tried to make conversation.

After telling me that it was a nice day and that he thought the war would soon be over, he said: "You know these shirts are three inches shorter than they used to be, on account of the war?"

I hadn't paid much attention to the fellow before, or to the store.

But now I thought I detected a leer in his face.

"Three inches shorter, eh?" I said to myself. "Some new kind of a racket pulled by a dishonest merchant."

So, while I had intended to buy six shirts I just bought one (to be decent) and walked out.

"Three inches shorter! The idea!" I kept on thinking. "What does he think I am? A sucker?"

When I arrived home I looked at the shirt. It certainly looked shorter than the ones I had bought three months ago in one of the big department stores.

"Always do business with a reputable firm," I philosophized, "and you won't get stung. Three inches shorter!"

I started to put the new shirt away. But just for the fun of it I wanted to compare it with the others.

I took one of them out of the drawer and held the two shirts together.

Hey, what was that?

The two shirts were exactly the same length.

Here I had been wearing shirts three inches short right along and nobody had even noticed it.

And, by golly, those shirts were certainly plenty long enough for me. Almost down to the knees.

What good were these extra three inches anyway? Why had the manufacturers wasted all that material all those years?

The idea! Making shirts longer than anybody needed them. That's why we had to pay such big prices for everything!

I worked myself into a sweat of righteous indignation.

And then a voice (it must have been my conscience) said:

"Oh, shut up and stop your beefing!"

Bible Thought For Today

Now will I rise, saith the Lord; now will I be exalted; now will I lift up myself. Isaiah 33: 10.



LOWERY GUILD AT SHOLLER RESIDENCE

Members of the Margaret Lowery Guild of the Central Presbyterian church, met Tuesday evening, with Mrs. Lillian Sholler, North Walnut street, with Freda Campbell, as associate hostess.

Three guests attended: Mrs. Martha Shaw, Mrs. Lenore Harper and Mrs. L. A. Campbell. During the informal hour, Mrs. Robert Meade Patterson reviewed "The Mansion," by Henry Van Dyke, an interesting Christmas story.

After business, a social time ensued for the members and guests.

January 19 is the date of meeting with Mrs. Ruth Lutz, Butler avenue, her sister, Mrs. Bernice Loy, as co-hostess.

LIVINGSTONE GUILD MEETING ON TUESDAY

Members of the Livingstone Guild of Central Christian church held their Christmas party Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Clarence Frey, Adams street.

Mrs. Todd Cromie opened this meeting with devotions, after which Mrs. Ray Gosney was in charge of the program, and gave an interesting talk on Latin America. Featuring the program were several piano solos, played by Elmer Frey.

During the social hour, lunch was served by the hostess, aided by Mrs. I. Davis.

Next meeting of the group will be held Tuesday, January 19.

Maxwell-Reynolds Circle

Maxwell-Reynolds Circle of the Epworth Methodist church was entertained for a Christmas party on Tuesday evening in the home of Miss Clara Lightner, Brooklyn avenue, with Miss Helen Clark as co-hostess.

Gifts for children at the Ruth M. Smith home were taken to the meeting.

Lunch was served at the close of the evening by the hostesses.

January 19, the circle will meet at the home of Miss Thelma Barber, Richelieu avenue, with Miss Hazel Browning as co-hostess.

Friendship Class Party

Friendship class of the Harbor U. P. church had its Christmas party Monday evening at the church. Families of the members were guests, and from out-of-town Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Denny and family of Youngstown, former members of the class, were present. Mrs. Otis Matthews was a special guest.

Games were the pastime with refreshments served later.

Mrs. Karl Rohrer, Mrs. Howard Cox and Mrs. David Curtis were the social committee. Mrs. John Eve, Mrs. Harold Barber and Mrs. John Bartley served on the decorating committee.

E. M. S. Club

Mrs. Mary Pacelli, Agnew street, was hostess to the E. M. S. club Christmas party held in her home Tuesday evening.

Contests were played, prizes falling to Mrs. Marge Pacelli and Mrs. Mildred Cavaricci, the latter a special guest.

The hostess received a gift from the club, and also a birthday gift., Mrs. Marge Pacelli aided the hostess in serving lunch.

Mrs. Connie Shaughnessy, South Walnut street, will be the next hostess, December 29.

MERCER BIBLE CLASS HAS PROGRAM-MEETING

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McKee, Ellwood road, and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Nicholl, were co-hosts to members of the Mercer Bible class of the Highland U. P. church, Monday evening, at the McKee residence.

Mr. McKee was in charge of devotions, and the entertainment program followed included a treasure hunt under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shrefler. Russell Johnson was the winner.

At a later hour, a delicious lunch was served by the hostesses, the holiday theme predomination. January 11, is the date of the meeting with Mr. and Mrs. K. Ward Reimold, Sheridan avenue.

THETA-NU MEMBERS HAVE SEASON'S PARTY

In observing the Yuletide season, Theta-Nu club members were entertained in the home of Mrs. Richard Johns on Cunningham avenue, Tuesday evening, who entertained in a delightful informal manner. President, Mrs. Clarence Connors was in charge of the business routine and following, attention was given to the program of pastimes.

After the revealing of "secret sisters" the hostess served a dainty holiday repast. She was aided by Mrs. Charles Morgan, a special guest, and Mrs. Joseph Walter. An anniversary dinner is being planned for January, however, the next regular session will be held January 28 with Mrs. Charles O'Brian on Cunningham avenue.

SEAMAN 2-C THOMPSON HONORED AT GATHERING

Fred Thompson, seaman second class, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Thompson of East Madison avenue, is in New Castle for a few days visit. Thompson who is attending the U. S. N. R. radio school at the University of Wisconsin, was honored by his sister, Mrs. J. O. Barnes of Chapin road on Sunday evening, when she entertained informally at a family dinner.

The menu was served at the appointed hour, the season's tones being used in the decorative theme. Informal pastime ensued.

A special guest of the occasion, was Miss Louise Micco.

Tuesday Bridge Club

Members of the Tuesday Afternoon Bridge club were entertained Tuesday at 1 o'clock luncheon by Mrs. M. A. McLure of East Lincoln avenue. Yuletide appointments prevailed in decorations and lunch.

Contract bridge was in play during the afternoon, with high score prize awarded to Mrs. W. Walter Braham. Winner of the guest prize was Mrs. Harry Elder.

The club will meet next on December 29.

Plan Christmas Party

At the Reformed Presbyterian church, Oak street, the Christian Endeavor society will have a business meeting and Christmas party Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

PERSONAL MENTION

Fred G. Seley of R. D. 3 is confined to the Pittsburgh Diagnostic Clinic, Pittsburgh.

Miss Camilla Augostine, 811 DuShane street, is confined to her home, due to illness.

The condition of Mrs. Fred A. Waldorf of Milton street, who is confined to the New Castle hospital, is improving.

Henry Bruno of Harbor road, R. D. 3, has been admitted to the New Castle hospital where he will undergo an operation.

Mrs. E. L. Davenport of Adams street has returned from a ten-day visit with her son Ned, who is a junior at the University of Detroit.

Frank Dewberry of R. D. 2, Youngstown road, has left for St. Petersburg, Fla., where he will join Mrs. Dewberry, who is sojourning over the winter.

Mrs. Carl Landfried of 423 East Meyer avenue, who underwent an appendix operation in Jameson Memorial hospital a few days ago, is improving nicely.

William Davies of McKees Rocks, formerly of the Wilmington road, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Jameson Memorial hospital, is improving slowly.

Sharron Sowinski is on her way to New Castle, to spend her birthday with her father, Edward Sowinski and grandmother, Eva Tomaszewski, 1108 South Jefferson street.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony J. Capezio and children, 1102 Agnew street, have returned from visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Capezio, Youngstown, O., the latter being confined to her home, due to illness.

Word was received here of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Patterson of Donora, Pa., in the Allegheny General hospital, December 14. Mrs. Patterson was the former Mary E. Loudon of this city.

Mrs. Joseph Colaluca of East Lutton street has received word of the death of her brother-in-law, Pete Vitti of New Canaan, Conn. He passed away Sunday and funeral was Tuesday. He has several relatives here.

Miss Jane Gardner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gardner of Wilmington avenue, will arrive in New Castle on Thursday, from Southern Seminary, Buena Vista, to spend the Yuletide holiday period with her parents.

CHILD DEVELOPMENT CLUB HAS BOX SOCIAL

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Copson Young street, were hosts Tuesday evening to members of the Child Development Circle and their husbands for a Christmas party in the form of a box social.

Preceding the social period, Miss Jean McLure, public school teacher, spoke on "Kindergarten." A discussion and question period followed.

Later, prettily wrapped box lunches, each concealed in a paper bag to conceal its identity, were auctioned off by Robert Boughter. A ceiling price for the lunches had been previously set. The sum raised will be used in furthering the club's aim to have kindergarten facilities expanded.

Co-hostesses with Mrs. M. Copson, were Mrs. J. J. Alexander, Mrs. Robert Boughter, and Mrs. William McKee.

January 5, Mrs. Russell Muder Meyer avenue, will entertain the club, with Mrs. J. C. Ward as co-hostess. At that time, Mrs. William McKee will speak on "Safety Training."

JOLLIKOUSINS CLUB CHRISTMAS DINNER

Lovely in every detail, was the annual Christmas dinner party which was held Tuesday evening in the Vine street home of Mrs. Clarence Miller, when she entertained informally, the Jollikousins Club membership.

Following, the serving of a deliciously prepared menu, a short business period was conducted, with election of officers taking place. President is Mrs. Goldie Reardon; vice president, Mrs. Ralph Eakin; treasurer, Mrs. Clem Gardner; press reporter, Mrs. Robert McGregor.

A social time was featured afterwards, with cards and other avenues of diversion claiming attention.

Tuesday, December 22, the club will meet with Mrs. Ralph Eakin on County Line street.

COPELAND SOCIETY AT LONGACRE HOME

Mrs. Ada Longacre received members of the Margaret Copeland Women's Missionary Society of the Third U. P. church, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. C. R. Thayer was in charge of the prayer group, and Mrs. Arthur Minick, the program. "Latin America," was the topic of the evening, and interesting talks were given by Mrs. Elmer Rice, Mrs. Mabel Wright and Mrs. Lee Thompson.

Christmas carols were sung, led by Mrs. Beatrice McNichols. At an appropriate hour, a delicious lunch was served by the hostess, aided by Mrs. J. Mack Wiles.

January 19, is the meeting with Mrs. L. E. McCreary, East Washington street.

BIRTHS

(Announcements to appear in this column must be signed with name and address of writer, and also give name of doctor.)

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert McKibben, of 232 Moody avenue, a son, in the Jameson Memorial hospital, December 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Augostine, of R. D. 5, Mahoningtown, announce the birth of a son, December 15, in the New Castle hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Kos, 1512 Poplar street, announce the birth of a daughter, December 15, in the New Castle hospital.

VETERAN CAMPAIGNER

(International News Service)

NEW BEDFORD, Mass.—Wounded seriously three times in World War I, Manuel O. Correia, former postman, is back in the army again.

He was found physically fit by his draft board and ordered to active duty.

Correia saw action in the battles of St. Mihiel, Chateau Thierry, Soissons and the Argonne. He was gassed and received shrapnel wounds at St. Mihiel and Soissons.

Before 1836, the members of the President's Cabinet had to give their full approval before an inventor obtain a patent.

What's What At A Glance

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destructive as hades, but that it isn't occupational.

The whole nut of it is—

Wartime's past lessons have tested the efficacy of land and sea power, but air power remains a problem.

Nor is air power to be reckoned with alone.

Land and sea power have been collateral heretofore. Now air power's collateral.

One Triple Force

ONE triple force is what's beginning to be celled for—a war department, consolidated. Heaven knows what'll be called for later. Economic reorganization will be demanded afterwards, but that isn't the emergency.

What's called for by our united command is one WAR force—the whole triple outfit—land, sea and aviatorial aggregations.

A WAR department!

Inseparability!

England is trying to get away with it. It's being suggested here. Our departments don't like to divide themselves up, however.

How it'll develop itself is problematic here in the U. S. A.

The dope is that we had two natural subdivisions. Now we have three. Can we consolidate 'em?

You might consolidate two, but consolidating three, with two of 'em quarrelling between themselves and the third, totally independent of the other two, conflicting between themselves, as its own entity, is more of a problem.

It takes one combination department—or it's questionable as a trinity.

W. C. T. U. and L. T. L.

HARLANSBURG UNION

Members of Harlansburg W. C. T. U. met in the home of Mrs. Bertha Eakin recently. Mrs. June Mack, the leader, chose as her subject "Peace—Real and Lasting".

After devotions, conducted by the leader, the following program was presented: readings, "A Prayer for the Future", Mrs. Jennie Eagleson; "The Local Union in Time of War", Mrs. Leona Flack; "What the Economists Say About Peace" and "A Lasting Peace", Mrs. June Mack; "The Local Union a Force for Peace", Mrs. Pearl Rodgers; "Thinking Towards Peace", Mrs. Charles McMurry.

Scripture was read in honor of the boys in service, followed by the song, "Peace, Peace, Like a River". A report was made by Mrs. Pearl Rodgers concerning the comfort bags for the soldiers. During the business meeting plans were made to attend the Victory luncheon at the Second U. P. church on January 19. Dr. Fallen, a minister and a noted temperance leader, will speak.

The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. Pearl Byers. Lunch was served by the hostess and her aides.

Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Pearl Reynolds with Mrs. Mae Locke as leader.

FRANCES WILLARD UNION

Frances Willard W.C.T.U. will meet in the Second United Presbyterian church Friday evening with Mrs. W. J. Marshall as hostess. Rev. J. Calvin Rose, pastor of the church, will be the speaker.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Women's Home and Foreign Missionary Society, Second Baptist church, will meet Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Sally Watkins, West North street, with Mrs. Helen Huddle as co-hostess.

Y. W. C. A. Notes

CLUB CHANGES TO Y. W. C. A.

At a meeting of the Reading Circle '91, Monday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Earl Thompson, Edison avenue, the circle voted to meet for the balance of the club year at the Y. W. C. A., instead of at the homes of members.

Mrs. Robert Meermans will be hostess at the January 4 meeting.

ITALIAN MOTHERS CLUB

Members of the Italian Mothers club will have their Christmas party, Thursday evening in the Green room of the Y.W.C.A., hostesses being Mrs. Lena Julian and Mrs. Jean Del Castello. Mrs. Ruben Pratt and committee aides are in charge.

A baby robin consumes about three times its own weight in worms every 24 hours.

In Religious and Fraternal Circles

NOTICE

Christmas announcements will be printed only in brief form this year. All announcements of programs to be presented in the churches next Sunday, December 20, must be at The News office not later than Wednesday afternoon, December 16.

Spiritualist Church

Good Will Spiritualist Church of Christ, Clendenin hall, Washington and Mercer streets, Rev. James H. Anderson, pastor, will have midweek services this evening at 8:00 o'clock. Rev. Anderson will speak on the subject, "Ye Shall Know the Truth and the Truth Shall Make You Free." There will be demonstration of spirit return and divine healing by the pastor and workers.

L.C.B.A. Elects Officers

At a meeting of the Beaver Valley Advisory Senate of the Ladies Catholic Benevolent Association in St. Mary's hall, Beaver Falls, Pa., the following New Castle women were elected as trustees: Mrs. Marie Metz, Mrs. Anna M. Eagan and Mrs. Amitia Gebbia. Other officers elected were from cities in the Beaver Valley.

A Christmas party was enjoyed following the business session. Next meeting will be January 10.

Mabel Ryan Class

Mabel Ryan Bible class will have its Christmas party Thursday evening at the home of Frank Fogarty, Walnut street.

Meeting Conducted

At a meeting Tuesday evening, held in the Odd Fellows hall, James S. Stock of Alliance, O., and Elder T. Blair Evans were speakers of the evening.

Duets were sung following by Elder Grant A. Wadsworth and Mrs. Gresham, and Elder Clyde Larsen and Helen Hinkson.

U. B. M. Class

Uncle Buddy's Memorial class of the Church of the Nazarene had a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. L. G. Furey, Highland avenue extension, teacher of the class, on Tuesday evening.

Election resulted as follows: president, Edward Reynolds; vice-president, Lou Welker; secretary-treasurer, Ralph Malosh.

A lunch was served by Mrs. Furey with the aid of her daughter Olive.

Next meeting will be January 21.

New Registration Places For Youth In County Area

Lawrence County Draft Board One with offices in the Ellwood post office announces two new places for registration of eighteen-year-olds for the draft.

They are: Harlansburg Central high school, and Shenango township high school.

Registrations are taken any time at the draft board office.

Carthage was founded in Africa, near Tunis, in 826 B. C. by Dido, sister of Pygmalion, king of Tyre. The city was burned in 146 B. C. and rebuilt in 19 B. C. It was destroyed by the Saracenic governor of Egypt in 698 A. D.

Eight American towns are named Scotland.

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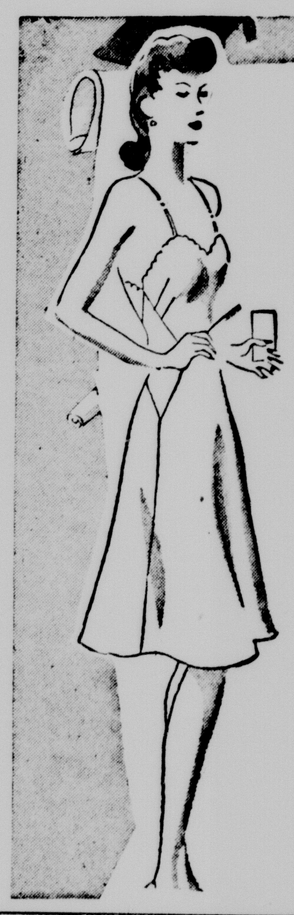
FROZEN FOODS

Peas, pkg. 25c
Strawberries, pkg. 25c
Florida Oranges, doz. . 35c
Eggs, Lawrence Co., doz. 49c
Milk, Armour's 6 tall cans 50c
Salt, 10-lb. bag 19c

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BUSINESS COLLEGE
January 4 is enrollment day in our school. At that time we will have new classes in shorthand, typewriting, comptometer work, College Accounting, bookkeeping, office practice, dictaphone, filing, business mathematics and other Commercial subjects. Call at our office as early as possible. Day and Night Sessions. Phone 936.
New Castle Business College

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Thursday, Dec. 17
Friday, Dec. 18
Saturday, Dec. 19
10 A. M. to 9 P. M.
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10 A. M. to 9 P. M.
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Breathtaking . . . lovely gowns for holiday parties. Designed to flatter . . . to make you look your best on these important occasions. Choose smooth rayon crepe, rayon jersey, taffeta or net trimmed with sequins, nailheads, embroidery and smart novelty detailing. A grand selection from which to choose. Sizes 9-17; 12-20; 38-40. 12.95 to 17.95



Fur Jackets and Strollers
Perfect for evening and afternoon wear, and many are ideal for sports wear as well! Choose red fox, paradise fox, skunk, grey krimmer, wolf and opossum. Beautifully made of fine quality pelts. A gift that's sure to please. $69 to $199

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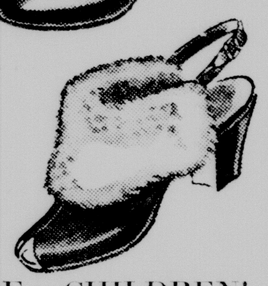
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D'orsays, scuffs or bootee types in variety of colors, fabrics and leathers.

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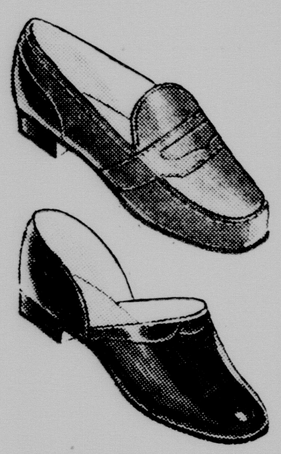


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His favorite operas, romeos, jodhpurs, in soft leatherette for solid comfort.

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The sock with the garter attached. Smart new patterns and plain. A gift he will really appreciate.

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Army, Marines Here Add Additional Names Today

Large contingents of new army and Marine Corps recruits who had applications on file prior to President Roosevelt's enlistment deadline today were announced at their respective recruiting stations in the Post Office building.

Army Men Signed

Army Recruiting Sergt. John T. Bilpuch announced this group:

Kenneth M. Glitch, 202 South Walnut street. Son of Mrs. Alma K. Glitch.

William F. Miller, Beaver Falls. Son of Mrs. Mary B. Miller.

John C. Geissinger, Sebring, O. Son of Mrs. Catherine Geissinger.

Benjamin Perretti, 705 East Lutton street. Son of Mrs. Lena Ross.

Vincent V. Sands, 814 South Mercer street. Son of Mrs. Carrie Sands.

Jerry Ferrilla, 119 Frank Way. Son of Mrs. Annetta Ross.

William H. Kaufman, R. D. No. 5. Son of Mrs. Stella A. Kaufman.

Thomas C. Swankie, 1003 Griswood avenue, Sharon. Son of Mrs. Jessie Swankie.

He said more army names would be added later.

New Marine Recruits

Marine Sergts. James A. Final and Thomas E. Quaill, acting for Platoon Sergt. John L. Dean, officer-in-charge and now on a brief leave, announced these marines:

John R. Post, Grove City; Norman C. Peters, 406 Denver avenue; Floyd G. Kelley, 346 East Washington street; Loyal E. Koach, Ellwood City R. D. 2; Donald A. Boots, Wampum; Thomas M. Yost, Oil City; Leonard F. Galanski, New Castle R. D. 7; Earl T. Glenn, 839 East Washington street; David C. Douthitt, Wampum, R. D. 1; William R. Piper, Ellwood City R. D. 7; William A. Hamilton, Ellwood City R. D. 2; James A. Brown, Butler, R. D. 1; Emmanuel Nestor, Wheatland.

Lawrence E. M. Huntsman, Ellwood City; Ulysses G. Harper, 511 Young street; Robert E. Deeter, R. D. 2, Utica, Pa.; Franklin W. Young, Stoneboro, R. D. 2; Roy W. Fisher, Jr., Stoneboro R. D. 2; Ernest Davidson, Ellwood City; Steve W. Thellman, Beaver Falls R. D. 1; Zigmund L. Lesinsky, Beaver Falls R. D. 3; James R. Anderson, Greenville R. D. 1; Harold E. Parker, Ellwood City, R. D. 2; Donald R. Bills, Clarion; Jack C. Burford, Meadville; Chester DeW. McQuiston, Wampum R. D. 2; James F. Bader, New Middletown, O.; Norman A. DeGidio, New Castle R. D. 7, and Daniel V. Pozzuto, Wampum.

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

A shelter tent is a "pup" tent and our Army and Marine Corps uses thousands of them in field maneuvers, in training, on short marches and for over-night bivouacs. They are like an inverted V, simple and easy to set up and take down quickly.



They cost about $10 each and our army uses thousands of them. Buy War Bonds and Stamps from your bank, postoffice and in many retail stores to help pay for these necessary items for our fighting forces. Help your community reach its War Bond Quota by investing at least 10 percent of your income in War Bonds or Stamps every pay day.

U. S. Treasury Department

Draft Boards Take Volunteers For Navy, Marines

(International News Service)

HARRISBURG, Dec. 16.—Local draft boards in Pennsylvania are accepting applications from registrants who wish to volunteer for service in the navy, marines and coast guard, it was disclosed today. No volunteers over 37 years of age are being accepted.

State selective service headquarters stated that the boards were notified by Washington several days ago to accept volunteers until Feb. 1, when it is believed plans will have been completed to recruit men for the sea forces through the regular selective service channels.

For the next six weeks, the navy, marines and coast guard expect to acquire "substantially all of their required manpower from registrants who volunteer to their local boards for induction into their services," it was revealed.

Registrants may not volunteer after they have been called up for induction into the army.

Five-Ton Chrome Steel Door Does Dual War Duty

(International News Service)

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 16. — A five foot thick, five-ton chrome steel door that one guarded the vaults of the Liquidated United Security Trust company, was en route today to double-duty in the war effort.

1. The Brown Instrument division of the Minneapolis-Honeywell Regulator Co., which took over the bank building in its expansion program, sent the door off to the nation's scrap pile.

2—Proceeds from its sale, the company said, will purchase gifts for the firm's 124 employes in the service.

Officials estimated the door would yield 225 .50 calibre machine guns.

Local Marines Send Greetings

Twenty-one New Castle men who are in the United States Marines sent holiday greetings to the members of The News staff today in a letter bearing the names of all of them. Three of them, William Wallace, Lew Cartwright and James Agan are at Parris Island, S. C. Eddie Yearge and Dick Smith have left for an unnamed destination. Louis Hazen is in Maine and the following men are stationed at the Philadelphia Navy Yard: Jack Flansburg, Russ McBride, Micky Salmen, Danny Fusco, Vincent Audino, Jack DiCarlo, Walter Tewell, Elmer Minteer, Fred Maciarello, Joe Parker, Dom Russo, Alex Pascarella, Patsy Russo, Peter Panjani, Dick Huffman.

Increase In Milk Price To Start Here

(International News Service)

HARRISBURG, Dec. 16.—A one and one-half cent a quart increase in the price of grade B milk for consumers in the nine-county Pittsburgh milk marketing area was scheduled today by the Milk Control Comission to become effective January 1.

The new order will affect consumers in Allegheny, Armstrong, Beaver, Butler, Indiana, Lawrence, Mercer, Washington and Westmoreland counties.

Report Rumanian Town Is Burned

(International News Service)

LONDON, Dec. 16.—An official communique issued in Bucharest, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Ankara, said today that the Rumanian town of Berlad has been destroyed by fire which was started by "saboteurs."

The official announcement said that all grain silos also were destroyed and that the saboteurs had escaped.

(Editor's Note: Available World Atlas shows a Rumanian city by the name of Barlad, situated on the Barlad river approximately 260 miles northeast of the capital city of Bucharest. It has a population of more than 26,000.)

No Arrests For Drinking In 2 Days

For 48 consecutive hours police have not been required to take in charge any person on a charge of intoxication. Whether this is because people are guarding their drinking more or are unable to get the brand they like from the state liquor store is unknown. According to reports only certain brands and not much of those kinds are available here.

SEEK RATION BOOK THIEVES

Pittsburgh detectives are hunting state-wide for persons who were concerned in a burglary there last night and made the error of carting away with them three gas rationing books. The chief inspector, Walter C. Monaghan, has asked police and gas station attendants to watch for booklets P719178-P719180 inclusive.

CAMP RUN

MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETS

The Women's Missionary society of the U. P. church next Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Herbert Daufen. Those sharing as special guests were Mrs. Hoffner and Mrs. Volrath of Zelienople, Mrs. Ira Boyer, Mrs. Carl Daufen and Mrs. John Daufen. The day was spent quilting and piecing patches. At noon a tureen dinner was served by the hostess assisted by her daughters Imogene and Mrs. Volbrath. The president, Mrs. Lester Wagner led devotions and presided at the business meeting. Old "sunshine sisters" were revealed and new ones were selected. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Gabe Thompson Wednesday Jan. 13.

CAMP RUN NOTES

John Daufen spent Thursday deer hunting near Penfield.

Ed. Twentier of the Portersville road has gone to Phoenix, Arizona, for the winter.

Mrs. Elmer Nevin and infant son James David returned to their home from the Ellwood City hospital, Thursday.

Paul Wagner, son of George Wagner, left for army service, Thursday. Ronald Alborn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Alborn who enlisted left Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Miller and Doris Weisz visited Thursday evening with Albert Weil of Warrendale who is confined to his home by illness.

Mrs. E. N. Boots spent several days with her daughter Mrs. Chas. Peffer of Middle Lancaster. Mr. Peffer and Glenn Rape of Cranberry township made a business trip to Boston returning to their homes Saturday evening.

A large coal truck operated by Thomas Hartzell of Wampum overturned and completely burned up on the Ellwood-Zelienople road Thursday afternoon. The driver was severely burned and is a patient in the Ellwood City hospital.

Local Resident's Brother Is Dead

Mrs. Andrew Ross, 303 Taylor street, received word that her brother, John Frank, Harrison street, Sharon, died in the Buhl hospital, Sharon, Tuesday afternoon, following three month's illness.

Mr. Frank was well known here. In addition to his wife, Mrs. Mary Frank and several children, he leaves a number of nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held Friday morning in a Catholic church, Sharon.

Checking Gas Statistics Here

Frank Moretti, assistant to the city solicitor, has been given the task by city council of checking gasoline statistics for the city. According to Moretti, the city has been requested to use approximately 25 per cent less gasoline in 1943 than was consumed by city cars in 1942.

OPEN SHERMAN STREET

City Engineer John Z. Street today announced that Sherman street which runs parallel to Moravia street between Moravia street and the W. N. Y. & P. railroad right of way has been opened to traffic.

EDENBURG

PRESENT HONOR ROLL

An impressive service was held in the Christian church on Sunday morning when a United States Service "Honor Roll" with the names and addresses of men serving our country at the present, was presented to the church. Miss Betty Mack made the presentation speech and Mrs. Mary Biddle receiving it for the church. Special patriotic music was given a solo, "God Bless America" was sung by Donna Park. An address by the pastor Will Vaughn, concluded the services with the congregation pledging Allegiance to the American Flag.

EDENBURG NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Ferd Reiter and children, of New Castle spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Kathryn Roberts of East street.

The Home Guards of the Methodist church held their regular meeting in the church Tuesday evening, December 15, after school for a Christmas party.

The Siren Club of the Methodist church met at the home of their leader, Mrs. George Nicholls, First and Crawford streets on Tuesday evening, December 8. After the devotional period games were enjoyed. A concluding feature was a delicious lunch served by the hostess.

Mrs. Kathryn Roberts, of East street, entertained the L. L. Bible class of the Methodist church at a Christmas party on Thursday evening, December 10, at her home. Games were played and refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by her daughters Jeanne and Sally.

Martin To Name Cabinet Soon

(International News Service)

HARRISBURG, Dec. 16.—Governor-elect Edward Martin disclosed today that he will announce his cabinet sometime "after Christmas".

"I have not yet made up my mind definitely on a single member of the cabinet," he asserted.

Martin will be sworn in as governor on January 19.

Depths of snow for skiiers vary in winter. Eastern enthusiasts ski on only a few inches of snow, while at Mount Ranier, Washington, the snow depth will probably average around 20 feet, and at Badger Pass, in Yosemite, it will average between 10 and 12 feet.

Nick Fornataro Taken By Death

Nick Fornataro, aged 53 years, of Russellton, Pa., and brother of Leo Fornataro, 505 East Winter avenue, this city, has been taken by death this morning at 9 o'clock in the St. Margaret's hospital, Pittsburgh.

Mr. Fornataro was an ex-service man. In addition to his brother here, he leaves two brothers and a sister in New York, a sister in Blawnox, Pa., a brother in Russellton, Pa., and two sisters and two brothers in Italy.

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SIX OF FAMILY SERVE

(International News Service)

NEW CUMBERLAND, Pa., Dec. 16.—All six children of the Joseph Lockard family, of Philadelphia, five sons and a daughter, have answered the call to service.

George V. Lockard completed the roll call when he reported at the New Cumberland army reception center.

Three of the sons are in the army and two in the navy, while the daughter, Miss Helen Lockard, 19, is studying nursing in preparation for the Army or Nurses Corps.

Before moving to Philadelphia, the Lockards resided in Altoona.

In ancient Hebrew the word "bath" meant a liquid measure which contained from seven and one-half to nine and one-half gallons. This was the legal water allowance in Biblical times for use in personal cleanliness.

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Warm Reception Certain For Japs Entering India

(International News Service)

MADRAS, India, Dec. 16.—The Japanese will get a warm reception if they attempt to invade India, Gen. Sir Archibald P. Wavell, commander-in-chief of Allied forces declared on arrival in Madras from Ceylon following an inspection trip.

"The picture is much different than it was several months ago," Gen. Wavell said. "Thanks to the strength of armored troops now defending the country the threat to India is much less. Things will be different now."

Gen. Wavell flew to Ceylon for talks with senior staff officers of the Ceylon command. He was accompanied by Air Marshall Sir Richard Peirse.

(The Indian government has warned against Japanese spies who may be landed in the country from the air, at remote points along the coast or overland through Burma, said a British radio report heard in New York by CBS. Large rewards have been offered for any spies rounded up, the report added.)

Three American Soldiers Died In Fire At St. Johns

(International News Service)

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Three American soldiers are known to have perished, and a fourth may have died, in the disastrous fire which leveled a Knights of Columbus hostel at St. John's, N. F., last Saturday night, the First Army headquarters announced Tuesday.



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WALLACE C. KNOX

Wallace C. Knox of 506 Pine street is another New Castle youth now undergoing basic military training at the Parris Island, S. C., training base of the Marine Corps.

LITTLE BEAVER

FOOT IS INJURED

Charles Clemmer received severe cuts on his right foot, while helping to butcher at the home of Arlow Kaufman, last Wednesday morning. The accident occurred in an unusual way, the cutting instrument pushing through his rubber and shoe, cutting his instep and severing an artery.

LITTLE BEAVER NOTES

Mike Nemits, was a caller in New Castle, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Veon, were visitors in Beaver Falls, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gorden were New Castle callers, Saturday.

Mrs. E. Strawhecker and Mrs. Harry Dudas, are among those ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Young were callers at Racine, Pa., Friday.

Mrs. Harry Young, and daughter, Martha, were callers at Beaver Falls, Friday.

Mrs. J. V. Knepp and daughter, Ruth were callers at Beaver Falls, Friday.

Mrs. John Spearhas is confined to the Youngstown hospital, where she underwent an operation.

Mrs. Dorothea Myers of Racine, Pa., called at the home of Mrs. Paul Kenny, Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Paden, and Mrs. Jane Ademson, of Pittsburgh, were guests of Arlow Kaufman, Wednesday.

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Despite Rule City May Secure Asphalt Material For Patches

Purchasing Agent Joseph D. Alexander stated today that he has hopes of securing approximately 300 tons of asphaltic material for patching streets here next spring despite orders from the public roads administration that orders placed up to January 1 will be cancelled.

Alexander took the matter up with the highway department and the belief was expressed that he could ask for another certificate of necessity in January and because of the need it probably would be granted.

The purchasing agent added that there is enough bituminous top on hand here for the resurfacing of East and North streets next spring. The city acquired it some time ago and had weather conditions not interfered the resurfacing of those streets would have begun weeks ago

Fines Total $950 For Stolen Ration Books For Gas

(International News Service)

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 16.—Four more Montgomery county residents were fined a total of $950 today by Federal Judge William H. Kirkpatrick for buying or receiving gas ration books stolen from three Norristown ration boards.

This brought to 65 the number who have pleaded guilty of the 95 indicted last September and raised the total number of fines to $18,360.

Those fined today were Earl F. Rambo, Malvern filling station operator, $500; Joseph A. Fennel, Norristown, $250, and James Weirman, Norristown, and Phillip Dunn, Jeffersonville, $100 each.

The coupons were stolen last August by two 16-year-old youths.

NEW GALILEE

The Municiple building in New Galilee is displaying a beautiful large new flag.

Rev. and Mrs. B. A. Duvall and son Dean, of Canfield, Ohio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Horn on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers Blatch, and baby, moved back to East Liverpool, Ohio, after moving here about a week ago.

The Nazarene Sunday school will have a short program Sunday morning, Dec. 23, with the small children taking part.

Mrs. Purdy McKean and sons Paul and Larry and Mrs. Thomas Miller, and daughter Ruth, spent Thursday in Pittsburgh.

The United Presbyterian Sabbath school, will present their Christmas entertainment on Sunday evening, December 20 in the church.

Mrs. Lulu Martsolf, has returned to her home, after spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Amanda Jenkins of near East Palestine.

Hollis Howell has been called for army service, and left on December the 8. Mrs. Hollis Howell and baby have taken residence in part of the James Ingle home.

Connie, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Horn, of the New Galilee-Beaver Falls road, will spend the week with her grandmother, Mrs. Bertha Hoffman.

The Presbyterian congregation will present their Christmas program on Wednesday evening, December 23 and will be under the supervision of the Elmer E. Brittian class.

At the recent meeting of the school directors held Monday evening the resignation of Mrs. Mary K. Myers was accepted and Mrs. Emily Gishbaugher, was elected for the remainder of the term.

Mrs. J. A. Dixon, a former resident here, now of near Butler, who has been seriously ill of pneumonia in the Jameson Memorial hospital, has been removed to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Davis of this place.

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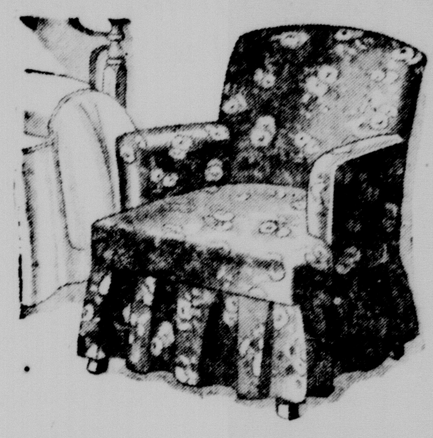
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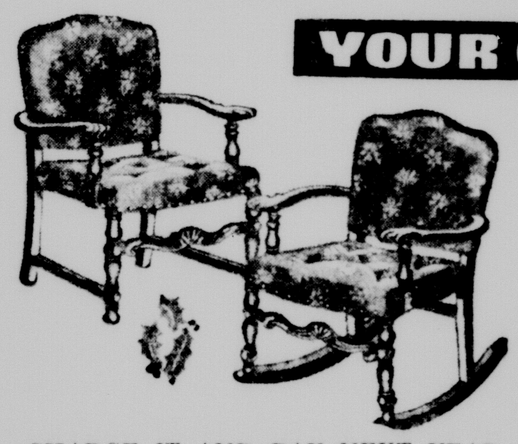
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Noah G. Wengerd, R. D. 2, Pulaski; Mary H. Kurtz, R. D. 2, Pulaski.

REALTY TRANSFERS

David Burleigh Clark and wife to Loyal E. Parady and wife, seventh ward, $1.

Cora C. Tucker to Norman N. Rogers, New Bedford, Pa., $1.

Thomas V. Mansell and wife to W. F. Campbell, New Wilmington, $1.

Walter W. Duff and wife to Jacob E. Emery, Hickory township, $1.

Lawrence County Commissioners to H. A. Wilkison, fourth ward, $231.81.

Forbes W. Burdette and wife to John Merlo, second ward, $1.

Grace Nimmo and others to Peoples Bank of New Castle, Slippery Rock township, $3228.40.

James L. Trimble and wife to H. O. L. C., fourth ward, $2880.

Delos W. Burnside and wife to Robert M. Vogan and wife, second ward, $1.

Carl R. Duckworth and wife to *William Fraley, Neshannock township, $1.*

ONE CONVICTION

The jury trying Alex Golba on a charge of driving a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor returned a verdict of guilty as indicted on Tuesday morning. Leniency was recommended.

DELINQUENCY RETURNS

Returns of $42,205.32 have been made to the various political subdivisions, according to a report compiled by the county treasurer and the county controller. The returns represent delinquent taxes paid in during the month of October. The returns were divided as follows:

New Castle school district $39,582.50. Besemer school district $89.38, boro $44.85, library .65. Ellport school district $160.08, boro $65.14. Ellwood City school district $360.73. Enon Valley school district $61.92, boro $35.85. South New Castle school district $364.63, boro $124.79. Wampum school district $67.42. Big Beaver township school district $193.03, roads $87.01. Hickory township school district $321.14, roads $91.85. Little Beaver township school district $50.31, roads $39.44. Mahoning township school district $50.31, roads $39.44.

Neshannock township school district $287.73, roads $101.15. North Beaver township school district $341.02, roads $86.36. Perry township school district $165.60, roads $28.47. Pulaski township school district $265.85, roads $47.74. Scott township school district $183.44, roads $29.99. Shenango township school district $1817.20, roads $423.02. Slippery Rock township school district $282.89, roads $64.98. Taylor township school district $477.85, roads $18.27, light $7.12.

Union township school district $1611.31, roads $330.17. Washington township school district $53.96, roads $30.91. Wayne township school district $192.19, roads $313.93. Wilmington township school district $130.36, roads $47.53. Independent school district of Chewton $749.95. Independent school district of Edenburg $64.48.

East Brook School To Present Cantata

On Wednesday evening, December 23, at 8:15 o'clock in the East Brook High school auditorium, the mixed chorus from the school will present a Christmas cantata, "The Night of Holy Memory."

There are about 60 voices in the high school chorus. Also taking part will be the junior chorus of 30 voices from the fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grades.

There will be one number sung by a quartet composed of Joan Withers, Mildred Scotia, Willard Patton and Ralph Robinson, and some solo parts.

Miss Marian Thompson, music supervisor at the school, is directing the cantata which will be open to the public.

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Correspondent Tells Of Capture Of Buna

By FRANK ROBERTSON
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

WITH AMERICAN GROUND FORCES IN NEW GUINEA, Dec. 15—(Via Courier, Delayed)—The American flag waves over Buna tonight.

American troops, advancing relentlessly behind a withering tommy-gun fire, stormed the town which is only shambles after weeks of bombings and artillery barrages.

I walked in on the heels of green-clad Yankee troops. There were many dead Japs all around us.

This morning's attack was preceded by a terrific barrage laid down by American mortars. Then the doughboys stormed in from two sides, pouring a hail of lead before them.

One striking unit moved from the east and the other from the west bank along the river. They swung inward and finally joined forces for the last assault.

Ten days ago, Sergt. Herman Bottcher of San Francisco led his men thorugh enemy lines and succeeded in establishing a beach-head west of Buna. Since then, the Americans have been gradually edging in, forcing the Japs to the rear step by step through torrential rains and neck-deep swamps.

"One Man Army"

It is Bottcher who has become known as a "one man army" because of the havoc he and his long platoon has raised with the Japs. He's tough as nails, doesn't know the word quit and held his immensely valuable beachhead despite repeated attacks by the enemy.

Bottcher really gave the Japs a taste of their own medicine for his platoon used two machine guns that Bottcher and a buddy captured from the enemy in one of their numerous unsuccessful attacks.

Isolated snipers were peppering us as I walked into the village and talked with the attackers. They included Privates Ira Nichlaus, Ogden, Utah; Bob Packard, Milwaukee, Wis.; Virgil Wright, Potlatch, Idaho; Walther Swiercznsk, Chicago; Erwin Bard, Sturgis, Mich., and Ed Thompson, Curley, Iowa.

The attacking forces were under command of two captains from Wisconsin, Mike U. Struck of Ripon and Al Meyer of Sheboygan.

Packard, who was covered from head to foot with mud, got one enemy sniper.

Heavy Fire For Japs

"We poured everything we had into Jap machine gun nests and into trees from which I knocked out one sniper," Packard said. "As we advanced, we got some Jap fire from the rear so we turned around and poured fire into Buna Mission while the artillery also barraged them.

"Then we saw our own boys advancing from the other side and we went around tossing hand grenades into pill boxes just to make sure there were no live Japs there."

Grant modestly recounted the part he and his comrades played.

"There wasn't much to our end of the show," he said. "We poured withering rifle fire ahead and just moved in, that's all."

As soon as we had taken over Buna, our troops busied themselves burying the dead whom the Japanese were unable to bury. That certainly cleared the atmosphere.

All that's left of Buna are four badly damaged native huts. Bullet-torn cocoanut palms and other trees torn up by artillery make the scene desolate. The Japs had built strong pill boxes facing wind and sea but there isn't much left of them now.

They left much equipment behind them, too—I picked up powder, razors and tooth brushes, all with American trade names, as well as food, paper and fans. It was a field day for souvenir collectors.

U. S. Bombers See Heavy Action On Front In Africa

(International News Service)

CAIRO, Dec. 16.—Medium bombers, fighters and fighter-bombers of the Ninth United States Air Force saw heavy action yesterday, bombing and strafing Axis motor transports moving westward from El Agheila, a United States army communique said today.

Many hits were scored and numerous vehicles destroyed on an enemy airfield, the communique said.

In one aerial battle, American fighters destroyed a German Messerschmitt 109 and damaged a number of others. All of the American planes returned safely to their bases.

With New Castle Afro-Americans

MISSIONARY GROUP

Senior missionary group of St. Luke A. M. E. Zion church met for their weekly meeting in the home of Mrs. Roberta Rowe, Mill street, Tuesday evening and which was a great success.

Three new members welcomed into the organization are Miss Dealka Higgs, Miss Margaret Higgs and Miss Betty Altman. Members were entertained at the meeting by Miss Beatrice Daley.

Visitors were Private Wilbur McCarter of Camp McClellan, Ala., and Mac Rowe.

Next meeting will be held at the church parsonage on Tuesday, December 29.

MISSIONARIES TO MEET

Members of the St. John's United Holy church missionaries will meet Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the church, Moravia street.

The highest peak in the Andes mountains in Chile, Aconagua, has an altitude of 23,080 feet.

Mrs. Howard Geary's Brothers Serving

Former New Castle Boys Serving In Armed Forces; Have Host Of Friends Here

Clyde R. Johns, pharmacist, who has served in the U. S. Naval Reserves for the past sixteen years, now at Londondary, Ireland, brother of Mrs. Howard Geary of 814 Highland avenue, has met personally, Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, the Queen of England, and other notables, in his program of duty.

Pharmacist Johns was located in New York for about ten years, and left for Ireland on February 6, where he is performing important duties. He also served in China.

Another brother, Staff Sgt. Marvin L. Johns, also of New Castle, and a graduate of Union high, in 1927, is with the Technical Engineers Air Corps, is located in Tuscon, Arizona. Both boys are well known in New Castle, and many will be interested in learning of their whereabouts.

With the exception of one time, this Christmas will mark the second in over a period of twenty years, that Mrs. Geory's brothers have not been at the Geary home in New Castle, for the Yuletide holidays. There are five brothers in the Johns family, the remaining brothers, all served in the World War No. 1.

Many inquiries have come to Mr. and Mrs. Geary, regarding the boys. Mr. Geary is at present located in New Jersey with the Aluminum Company.

Demand Inspection Of Airmail Gifts

Airmail-routed Christmas parcels should not be completedly wrapped until senders have submitted them to inspection by parcel post clerks at New Castle post office, Postmaster William R. Hanna warned this afternoon.

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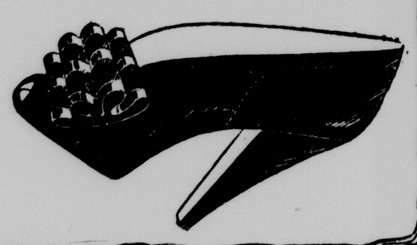
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Sensational Drop In Fatalities Due To Traffic Crashes

(International News Service)

CHICAGO, Dec. 16 — Gasoline rationing has had to take severe criticism from many quarters, but Cook county Coroner A. L. Brodie spoke a kind word for it today.

He credited the rationing with chief responsibility for the phenomenal 75 percent reduction in traffic fatalities for the first 15 days of December in Cook County.

For the same period last year there were 51 traffic deaths. This year there were only 13.

The Moslem University of Al-Azhar, in Cairo, Egypt, was founded in 970 A. D.

NEGRO GENERAL

Brig. Gen Benjamin O. Davis became the first negro in history to be appointed to that rank, when the appointment was made by President Roosevelt in October, 1940.

The longest pontoon bridge ever built is near Seattle, Wash. It consists of a "ribbon" of 100,000 tons of floating concrete, stretching out across Lake Washington. It is also the first pontoon bridge ever built of reinforced concrete.

WINGED ROMEO LOVES IN VAIN



Big Bill, a great blue heron, glancing down at a park pool in Portland, Ore., spied what he thought was a very handsome lady heron. So Big Bill made a quick, two-point landing, batted a beady eye and squawked in heronese: "Hey, good lookin,' what's cookin'?" There was no response. In fact, though Big Bill hung around for days the bronze statue of a heron was deaf to his endearments. This picture was taken of Big Bill just before the heart-broken bird shoved off for the south where, he hoped, the winged ladies would be more responsive.

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SEVENTH WARD

Class Meets At Gloria Laughlin's

On Tuesday evening members of the Golden Rule Sunday school class of the Mahoning Methodist church were entertained at the home of Gloria Laughlin North Cedar street.

At the business meeting the following officers were elected: Carlene Godwin, president; Philomena Sparano, vice-president; Ruth Jean Jolley, secretary; Janice Arble, treasurer; Jean Nickerson, scribe. Plans were made for a skating party on December 30.

Contest games were the diversion of the evening, with prizes being awarded to Jean Flack, Maxine Smoot, Jean Nickerson, Ruth Jean Jolley, Virginia Lee Stump and Janice Arble.

A splendid lunch was served by the hostess' mother, Mrs. Roy Clark.

The class will have their next meeting at the home of Maxine Smoot, 613 West Madison avenue, January 19.

Garden Club Has Christmas Party

Mrs. G. G. Horchler of East Cherry street was hostess to the Mahoningtown Garden club at her home on Tuesday evening. The occasion took the form of a Christmas party.

The business session was presided over by Mrs. C. H. Clark. The following program committee for the coming year was selected, Mrs. William Leicht, Mrs. J. L. Agan, Mrs. W. C. Cavany.

Carol singing followed, and "Santa Claus" appeared, and distributed remembrances.

Knitting for the Red Cross society was a diversion of the evening.

A delicious lunch was served by the hostess, who was assisted by her mother, Mrs. G. W. Belknap, and daughter-in-law, Mrs. George Horchler Jr.

The next meeting, scheduled for January 19, will be entertained at the home of Mrs. J. L. Agan of West Madison avenue.

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DINNER THURSDAY

Thursday evening at 6 the Mahoning Methodist members of the World's Friendship Circle will meet at the Deaconess Home, 107 Phillips street, for dinner sponsored by the Alice Rentz Circle of the Epworth church.

RETURNS FROM ENGLAND

Second Lieut. Kenneth Farver, attached to the U. S. Signal Corps, is on 13 days furlough, visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Farver and family of 801 West Clayton street. Lieutenant Farver has recently returned from eight months service in England.

AUXILIARY GROUP ELECTS TREASURER

At the home of Fred Freed of North Liberty street, members of Group 2 of the Auxiliary Firemen had their meeting on Monday evening.

During the business session Howard Culbertson presided.

Harvey Dungan was elected treasurer of the group. Charles Dungan was a guest.

Splendid refreshments were served by the host.

SUCCESSFUL HUNTING TRIP

Cricket Stone of Newell avenue has returned from a successful hunting trip along the Mahoning river, in the vicinity of West Pittsburg. He brought down nine ducks, five of which were mallards and four were black ducks.

RETURNS TO CAMP

Private First Class Henry Bruce Sandifer, attached to the ordnance department, has returned to Camp Claiborne, Louisiana, after spending 15 days furlough visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Sanifer of 113 East Clayton street.

ON FURLOUGH

Private First Class Patsy Russo of the U. S. Marines, stationed at Philadelphia, is on a week's furlough visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Russo of South Ashland avenue.

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PARTY ON THURSDAY

Sunday school classes of the Madison Avenue Christian church that meet in the basement will have their Christmas party Thursday at the church at 4 p. m.

HOME ON VACATION

Patricia Anne Taylor, a student at Westminster college, is home spending the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Taylor of West Cherry street.

SEVENTH WARD PERSONALS

John Hanning of Newell avenue is confined to his home with illness.

Rose Conti of West Wabash avenue is confined to her home with illness.

Mrs. Emma Dattilo of 415 West Madison avenue has been admitted to the hospital for treatment.

Richard Kennedy of North Liberty street has been admitted to the Jameson Memorial hospital for treatment.

J. P. Morgan of Sixth street has returned from a hunting trip in Forest county in the vicinity of Tionesta.

Henry B. Sandifer of East Clayton street, who was ill at his home, is much improved, and able to return to his employment.

Navy Had 56 Men Eligible When Ban On Volunteers Came

Enlistments Going Through Because They Came Prior To Deadline

With the closing of the December 15 deadline, banning enlistments of men 18 to 38, found the local navy recruiting office with a score of 56 enlistments since December 5, the day the order was issued by President Roosevelt.

The navy office will remain open in the future to accept enlistments of all men between 17 and 18 years old with parental consent, and men from 38 to 50 who are skilfully qualified in a trade or profession.

Sartorial Club Planning Banquet

Honorary President, Anthony DeSantis To Be Honored By Club Members

At the meeting of the Sartorial club, held at the home of Joseph F. Sciullo, 407 Spruce street, Tuesday evening, plans were made to have a New Years banquet on January 3, with wives as special guests. The event will be in the Unione Calabro club.

It was decided to send a card and box to the honorary president, Anthony DeSantis, who is now stationed at Ft. Belvoir, Va. A discussion followed on the progress of tailoring, and a demonstration was held among the members.

President, Frank Gillest and secretary, Louis Gaspare, gave short speeches, and also other members. Following business, a social time and card playing was held. Mrs. Imaculate Sciullo served a delicious lunch.

January 12, is the date of the meeting with E. D'Eletto, 1613 Huron avenue.

Gustafson Enlists In Naval Reserve

Son Of The News Pressroom Chief Awaits Call Of Engineers

Russell W. Gustafson of Pittsburgh, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. William Gustafson, Harbor-Pulaski road, today had enlisted in the U. S. Naval Reserve in the chemical engineering division.

Gustafson, for several years with the Pennsylvania railroad at Pittsburgh, expects his call to duty shortly.

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War Bonds And Stamps No. 1. Gift Suggestion

By PHILLIPS J. PECK
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16 — With seven more shopping days left on the calendar, war bonds and stamps shaped up today as the nation's No. 1 Christmas gift suggestion.

Treasury department officials reported that sales of the popular $25 war bonds jumped 40 percent in the first nine days of this month, as compared with November.

A great bulk of the increase was attributed to the efforts of some 8,000 retail stores, serving as issuing agencies, and nearly 600,000 other retailers who are selling war stamps. Post-offices, banks and theaters are cooperating in the drive.

WPB officials, who forecast a bountiful holiday season despite the many war-imposed restrictions on production and distribution of consumer goods, concurred in the report that bonds and stamps are receiving more promotion than any other gift idea.

Sales of the series E, $25 war bonds through all sources totaled $133,295,000 during the first eight days of this month, as compared with $39,552,000 in the same period of last year, an increase of approximately 237 percent.

Merchants have assembled war stamps in eye-catching novelties and corsages, offering a gift to replace the once popular Christmas novelties and trifles imported from Czechoslovakia and France.

Governor-Elect Martin Against Brooks System

(International News Service)

HARRISBURG, Dec. 16.—Governor-Elect Edward Martin today indicated strong opposition to the replacement of the present state liquor monopoly by the old Brooks High license system of pre-prohibition days.

Taking cognizance of rumors that attempts would be made at the January legislative session to revamp the present state store system which was organized in 1933 and replace it with a county licensing program, Martin commented:

"I never felt it was good policy for the courts to grant licenses."

Under the Brooks High license system, liquor licenses were granted by county judges upon the payment of a fee established by the legislature. Governor-Elect Martin will take office on January 19.

Air is the atmosphere; water is hydrosphere, and the solid earth is the lithosphere.

ATTEND FUNERAL OF FORMER RESIDENT

Several local relatives and friends attended funeral services Monday in Bridgeville, Pa., for Emilio Corti, aged 65, a former New Castle resident who died there last Friday.

Mr. Corti, who was born in Italy, had resided in New Castle for 15 years with his daughter, Mrs. Lena Bernabei of Croton avenue. He left about three months ago to make his home with another daughter, Mrs. Yolanda Faticato in Bridgeville.

Surviving are four daughters, Mrs. Mary Bernabei of Indianola, Pa., Mrs. Lena Bernabei of New Castle Mrs. Yolanda Faticato and Mrs. Gilda Battistonia, both of Bridgeville, and one brother, Amondo Corti of New Jersey. His wife preceded him in death in 1925.

Jeff says—



Recognition Given Club Advisers At Christmas Program

Reading By Mrs. R. M. Patterson Is Feature Of YWCA Program Tuesday Evening

Recognition was given Girl Reserve advisers for the work they have done when the Community Christmas program was presented at the Y. W. C. A. Tuesday evening for board members and all other members of the central and Elm street branches of the Y. W. C. A.

Mrs. J. Glenn Berry presided at this program and Mrs. Jesse N. Kerr presented each of the Girl Reserve advisers with a rose bud. Those honored were Elizabeth Albert, Janet Brenneman, Grace Dodson, Ruth Hill, Jessica Jenkins, Thelma Stuart, Elizabeth Yingling, Dorothy McClurg, Mrs. Eleanor Horner Hoagland, Helen Hazen, Frances Boozer, Mrs. Margaret Sanfilippo, Thelma Howell, Fern Cloak, Mrs. E. M. Cowen, Mrs. Pearl Johnson, Mary Ramsey and Nettie Mann.

A feature of the program was the entertaining reading of Henry Van Dyke's "The Mansion", given by Mrs. Robert Meade Patterson. Mrs. Mary Meeks, chairman of the Elm street commitee, read the Christmas story, and Thelma Stuart led carol singing.

Refreshments were served at the close of the program by a committee from the Y. W. C. A. board and the various clubs.

Salvation Army Has No Solicitors

Householders Warned Some Callers Wear Insignia On Uniforms

The Salvation Army here has no authorized solicitors making door-to-door visits in New Castle or anywhere in Lawrence County, Capt. Carl C. Andreasen, head of the local branch of the organization, warned today.

Capt. Andreasen asked the public to notify police in event someone approaches them in the name of the army. "Nobody is representing us," he stressed.

Residents in scattered sections of the county have reported that persons purporting to be Salvation Army collectors have come to their doors. Some, they said, wore uniforms bearing the insignia of the army.

Little Chance To Secure Seat On Chicago Trains

(International News Service)

CHICAGO, Dec. 16.—Chicago is one of the great railroad centers of the country—but try to get a train out of here for Christmas!

Officials reported today that all seats on trains leaving Christmas within 48 hours of Christmas day had been reserved with the exception of those on two main route to New York.

The Pennsylvania and New York Central railroads will run hourly trains beginning two days before Christmas in an effort to handle the tremendous holiday business, now augmented by heavy travel by members of the armed forces.

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Says America Must Give More To War Effort

General Reilly Says Victory Cannot Be Achieved Until We Put Forth More United Effort

SAYS ENEMY IS UNDERESTIMATED

Charging that too many Americans were putting other interests first and the war second, Brig. General Henry J. Reilly, noted military analyst, told members of the New Castle Executives Club at their dinner meeting in The Castleton Tuesday evening that until England and America realize that they are fighting two of the toughest foes that ever bore arms and put forth a united determination to win the war, that the present conflict will drag out over an indefinite period.

He said that too many exemptions are being granted, that industry has not geared itself to the intensive effort being exerted by the Axis powers, and that too many people are offering excuses for not getting into the war effort to the utmost of their ability.

General Reilly was introduced by Dr. H. J. Harper, a major attached to the 28th Division Medical Corps, A. E. F., during World War One.

Dr. E. F. Henderson, new president announced that the next dinner meeting of the Executives Club would take place on January 20, when Dr. William Malisoff, scientist will be the guest speaker. He will discuss "Longer Life from the laboratories." The reception committee on this occasion will be Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Hornung, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Francis and Dr. and Mrs. J. Robert Brown.

Lieut. Jamison Guest

Lieut. Robert Edgar Jamison, son of Attorney and Mrs. Roy M. Jamison, who graduated last week from the Quartermaster's School at Camp Lee, Va., was present and was introduced to the club members and their guests. He is home on a furlough before taking up active duties in the field.

General Reilly said that both Roosevelt and Churchill have warned the people of England and America not to expect too much too soon, and General Reilly stated that this was true, that we have a long, hard row to hoe before victory, not that he was not confident that we would not win out in the end.

He told his audience that he did not come to them as a prophet or an expert, but merely as a reporter, and would present information based on facts, which were not his opinions. He told of serving in the Philippines and China in 1909 and 1910, and even as long ago as that, that Japan was caught trying to buy the plans for the defenses at Corregidor from an American sergeant.

Referring to his topic, America's strategy in the war, he defined strategy as known to the military as what you do up to the time you meet the enemy in battle. After that everything depends on military tactics. Strategy, he further defined, as meeting the enemy when, and where you wanted to, and under the best circumstanes, and is divided into two classes, defensive and offensive. No one ever won a war with defensive strategy, and that is virtually all that the United Nations so far have employed. The war will not be won until we can launch an offensive that will continue unabated, he asserted.

He cited the first battle of the Marne in World War One, as a decisive event which kept France from being licked for four years, not that it was not until September 1918 that the Allied offensive reached the momentum that made the Germans finally quit. He said we could not go on the defensive until everything was in our favor. He said victory in the Solomons was only a minor skirmish which kept Japan from cutting our shortest line of supplies to Australia and forcing us to send our convoys farther around to get to Australia, the base of supplies in the Pacific.

African Landing Brilliant

The landing in Africa, he said, was one of the most skillfully executed maneuvers in military history, and he still marvels that it could have been kept a secret as long as it was, as men are just as big gossips as women. But, he said, occupation of Africa merely provided us with a base to operate against the Axis.

He said that underestimating one's enemy is the worst thing that can happen. He told how France had been warned in 1870 that Germany was preparing to strike at her, but belittled the German Army, which conquered them in a campaign which began July 19 and ended September 1, 1870. In 1904, every Russian military attache to Tokio told of Japan's preparations, but they were ignored and we know what the Japs did to them.

Similarly, every military attache to Japan had warned our army and governmental authorities that Japan was ready to strike at us, but it was ignored. It was a political rather than military blunder that we were not prepared to meet our enemies, and no one party was responsible, he said, as they were all alike when they were in power. Similar reports came from the other Axis countries, but no one would listen. They were too busy with other affairs more pleasant.

He told of Germany's quick victories against France, Poland, Holland, Belgium, Denmark, all in less than 45 days. Poland was taken by 18 divisions in 18 days, France by 125 divisions with 100 in reserve in 45 days. We have had the same phenomena in this war that we did in the last. We despised our enemy and wouldn't believe that we were told about them. The picture, he said gets more cheerful every day, but there is absolutely no justification for the belief that the war will be over in a few months.

Russia Just Defending Self

Russia, the only United Nations country to actually do any fighting against the Axis has been merely defending herself. So far, he said, Germany has been inducting more men into her army than has been lost in battle, and she started out with 300 divisions. Hoy many Japan has, no one has been able to find out. China and India have many people, but they are not fighting nations, and cannot be depended on for much help. This has been proven by what Japan did to the United States and Great Britain in the Pacific. China, he said, never had more than 300,000 to 500,000 actual soldiers.

In spite of the fact that this is a highly mechanized war, two-thirds of our forces at least must be infantrymen. He explained that foot soldiers have to protect tanks because they are easily put out of action when attacked in their blind spots. That aviation cannot win a war alone has been proven by Malta. We are building a mighty army, but we are not anywhere near our peak as yet, and until we are, we cannot pass from the defensive to the offensive. We are near a two-ocean navy now, he said, and if we will go along not expecting too much too soon, we are going to emerge victorious in the end.

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Getting the News by Air



Gen. Montgomery wants his soldiers to know just what happens in Lybia and elsewhere, so he has newspapers flown to men at the front from Cairo. The headline, "8th Army Occupies Tobruk" was nothing new to men on that front, but elsewhere it made interesting reading. Pvt. Sam Hayworthy, the "newsboy," was actually a newsboy in Manchester, England, before the war. Swastika flag makes a good foot mat. *(Central Press)*

THIS SUB CREW ESCAPED NAZIS



Waving their caps and cheering lustily, these members of a French submarine crew celebrate their safe arrival in Algiers after having taken their ship safely across the Mediterranean sea from the French naval base at Toulon where the major portion of a French fleet was scuttled to keep it from falling into Axis hands.

New Yorkers in First Gas Drill



More than a hundred graduates of the Queens County Gas Protection School in New York City demonstrated their ability to identify and combat war gases in a demonstration before officials of the Office of Civilian Defense. Some of the hundred are shown above sterilizing their gas masks after the demonstration. Heading the line is Marcella Schweiger, one of the two women in the group. *(Central Press)*

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STRIKE STILL ON

(International News Service)

NEW YORK, Dec. 16—A threat of Federal action to terminate a strike of the newspaper and mail deliveries union came today as both sides sought to end a dispute which has left New Yorkers without their daily newspapers for three days.

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The hard part of the problem is to divide manpower so that each department will get more than its share.

Democracy in action: One agency drafting skilled dairy workers; another commandeering the butter supply because of the shortage.

There are eleven towns in America named Moscow.

DAUGHTER BORN

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Dec. 16—Lieut. and Mrs. John Roosevelt today were expected to announce the name of the daughter born to them last night at San Diego, where the President's youngest son is on duty at the North Island Naval Air Station.

The Roosevelts, married in 1938 at the Nahant, Mass., home of Mrs. Roosevelt, the former Ann Lindsey Clark, have a two and one-half year old son, Haven.

Don't scratch Africa yet. We easily defeated our friends; now we have the long hard job of licking tough veteran enemies.

We'd better have the blue chips ready. When the Japs try again, they won't do it with out-of-date battleships.

Can Collection To Be Delayed

Change In Original Date Of December 19 Is Found To Be Necessary

Plans for the collection of tin cans in New Castle have been changed slightly, Ross D. Rosenberger, salvage chairman announced today. The original date set for the collection of them was December 19. The date has been postponed for a short time due to transportation difficulties and the new date will be announced shortly.

In the meantime it is urged that every householder save the tin cans. After the food stuff has been removed from the can, cut the bottom out of it, wash the label from the outside, and the food particles from the inside, then press the can down with the foot, putting the top and bottom inside. Don't press the can too closely in order that the acid in the detinning plant may get through.

Tin cans will provide many tons of precious tin and a lot of steel. Every can is valuable and the householder who throws a tin can away today is unpatriotic.

Clean and flatten the cans and put them in a box where they can be lifted later. Every can has a war job to do.

OLIVE VAN FLEET DIES IN CALIFORNIA

Relatives here have received word of the death of Miss Olive Van Fleet, aged 73, of Glendale, Calif., who died there December 13. Miss Van Fleet suffered a stroke about five years ago and had been an invalid ever since.

She was a daughter of the late G. W. and Sarah Van Fleet, residents of New Bedford and vicinity for many years. Miss Van Fleet went west about 30 years ago to make her home with her brother, M. V. Van Fleet, who survives her.

Relatives in this area include the following cousins, Mrs. Charles Shields of New Bedford, Mrs. Ed. Lowry of Youngstown, Mrs. Mary Adams and Earl McClusky, both of Ellwood City.

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MEN IN U. S. SERVICE

(War Censorship Regulations Limit Information Allowed in This Column)

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Turco of 518 rear Pearson street have received word from their son, Sergt. Ralph Turco, that he has been promoted to rank of staff sergeant. He is located somewhere in the South Pacific, and reports that he is feeling fine. Several other local boys, Pfc. Dom Christofer and Pfc. Gregory Ross, are also at his station.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman M. Clark of 705 Chestnut street received word that their son, Pvt. Gordan Clark, is now stationed at Camp Maxey, Texas.

Private Fred L. Pack of Camp Clark Mo., has arrived here to spend a 10-day furlough with his wife, 936 Maryland avenue, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Pack, Stanton avenue.

Private Kenneth C. Pack, who recently entered the Army, is located at Camp Chaffee, Ark. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Pack, Stanton avenue.

Joseph Juliano, 1111½ Croton avenue, has received word that his son, Frank R. Juliano, a military policeman stationed at North Charleston, S. C., has been promoted from the rank of corporal to sergeant.

Walter Ausem of Cleveland, O., son of Mrs. Doris Gilmore of 926 Winslow avenue, left Saturday from Cleveland to report for army duty at Fort Hayes, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Gardner of R. D. 5 have received word that their son, Private James L. Gardner has arrived at Camp Peale, Calif.

Private Harold W. Richardson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Richardson of Vogan avenue has been graduated from the radio school of the Air Forces Technical Training command at Scott Field, Ill.

Corp. Henry Watt of Port Blair, Va., is spending five days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Watt of 508 Sankey street and other relatives.

Robert C. Dean, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dean, Schenley avenue, East New Castle, departed on Monday for New Cumberland, after enlisting in the ordnance department.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Raub, Edenburg, have received a cablegram from their son, Pvt. Wilson R. Raub, overseas, wishing them a Merry Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. George Seiler of Hillcrest avenue have received word that their son, Private William Seiler, is stationed with the coast guard artillery at Fort MacArthur, San Pedro, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Bacon, Grandview avenue, have received word that their son, Private Charles D. Bacon, has arrived somewhere overseas.

Sergt. Karl E. Fleischer of Camp Phillips, Kas., is enjoying a 10-day furlough at his parents' home on the New Wilmington road.

At the time Private Robert C. Gross wrote last to his mother, Mrs. Elda F. Gross of Portersville R. D. 2, he had been confined for six weeks to a hospital in Australia with an ear infection which he contracted in New Guinea, according to the letter which Mrs. Gross has just received.

John W. Young, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Young of R. D. 2, New Castle, has been transferred from Fort Meade, Md., to Camp Chaffee, Ark.

Robert E. Young, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Young of R. D. 2, New Castle, has been transferred from New Cumberland to Camp Adair, Ore.

Emery C. (Vic) Swogger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emery R. Swogger, has passed the required examinations at Pittsburgh for the Army Air Corps. Swogger, an 18-year-old senior in Ne-Ca-Hi, is waiting for his call to begin training.

Private Albert DiMuccio, of U. S. Army Air Corps, has returned after concluding a short furlough, visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. DiMuccio, of 11½ Friendship street. He is stationed at Atlantic City New Jersey.

Robert L. Latsko, fireman first class, U. S. Navy, has returned to Norfolk, Va., after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Latsko, South New Castle Boro. This was the first word received from him in six weeks, as he has just returned from North Africa.

Pvt. Richard Stewart, brother of Mrs. Pauline Meyer, Pearson street, has arrived overseas, according to word received by her.

Three New Castle youths today are undergoing an intensive course of study in aviation mechanics at the Headquarters Technical school of the Army Air Forces Technical Training Command, Amarillo Army Air Field, Amarillo, Texas. They are Robert E. Schneider, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Schneider, New Castle R. D. 7; Charles F. Lutton, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Ross Lutton, 403 South Ray street, and Raymond P. Derr, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd R. Derr, 512 Hillcrest avenue.

Apprentice Seaman Nick Lucas is visiting with his mother, Mrs. Edna Lucas and family, of Galbreath avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Caldwell, of Elm street, have received word that their son, Private Elmer Caldwell, is now stationed in Camp Lee, Va.

Private James Bevan and Mrs Bevan, Camp Forrest, Tenn., are in New Castle this week visiting their parents, in this city.

Corporal Henry L. Watt, of Fort Belvoir, Virginia, is on furlough for nine days, visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Watt, of 108 Sankey street. He is attached to the Engineers Corps.

Corporal Adam Stackiewiecz, of the Medical Corps, stationed at Camp Pickett, Virginia, is on furlough for a week, visiting with his mother, Mrs. Caroline Stackiewiecz, of 14 Elmwood street.

Pvt. Andrew Roth has returned to Camp Lee, Va., after spending a seven-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Roth, of Cascade street.

Mrs. Jessie Hartzel, of 428 Valley street, has been advised by her son, Jack Rush, that he has been promoted to Staff Sergeant. He is stationed at Camp Gordon, Georgia with the Machine Gun Corps. Expects to be home on furlough first of the year.

Chief Petty Officer John Uram has returned to Norfolk, Virginia after spending his furlough, visiting with his mother Mrs. Mary Uram and family, of Atlantic avenue.

Private First Class Frank Dewberry, Jr., attached to the U. S Marines, stationed at Jacksonville, Florida, has been confined to the hospital there for a month, but is now somewhat improved. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dewberry, of R. D. 2, Youngstown road

Word has been received that Corporal Joseph Sobczak, formerly of Wampum, has been transferred from Nashville, Tennessee, to Los Angeles, California.

Mrs. Sol Davies, of West Garfield avenue, has been advised that her son, David E. Davies, Petty Officer Third Class Electrician's Mate, has been transferred from Newport Rhode Island to Portsmouth, Virginia.

Private First Class Ralph S. Noviello, of Camp Livingston, Louisiana, is spending a 15 days furlough, visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Noviello, of 713 South Mill street. He is attached to the Field Artillery.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Norris, 848 Arlington avenue, have received word from their son, Private Samuel Norris attached to the Air Corps, that he has been transferred from Harlingen, Texas, to the Sub. Air Base, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Private Bernard Pasquarette, U. S. Army stationed at Fort Harrison, Indiana, has been promoted to Private First Class.

Private Edwin B. Zollinger, 514½ West North street, has been transferred from New Cumberland to Camp Wheeler, Ga.

Private Joe Fraser, son of Mrs. Nell Fraser of 202 Richelieu avenue, is stationed at Camp Lee Va., with the U. S. Army.

Corporal Homer W. Drake, who is serving with the Coast Artillery anti-aircraft in the U. S. Army, is stationed at Paterson, N. J.

Betty James of Winslow avenue, has received a letter from her cousin, Russell Brown, who is somewhere in the Guadalcanal region, stating that he is fine. He relates he is proud of the Ne-Ca-Hi football team, as he has been following it through The News.

Miss Belle Murdock of Enon Valley, has received a Christmas greeting card from Bill Reebel who is stationed somewhere in England.

Word has been received by Mrs. Harriet Conzett, of 412 West Washington street, that her son, Richard W. Buchanan, storekeeper second class, attached to U. S. Navy, that he safe and well. Richard is stationed somewhere in the Pacific.

Mrs John Schenker, of 10 Sankey street, has been advised by her son, Private John L. Schenker, that he is learning to be a technician. He is with the Training Battalion, at Camp Wheeler, Ga.

MAN INJURES LEG

John Forster, aged 58 years, of 919 Clemox avenue, Pittsburgh, suffered a laceration of the right leg when he bumped it against a steel girder at a local defense plant. He was treated at the Jameson Memorial hospital at 4:45 p. m.

YOUTH INJURES LEGS

Jack McCormick, aged 19 years, of 108 Pine street, suffered injuries of both legs when a cement bucket dropped and struck him at his work in a local defense plant Tuesday morning.

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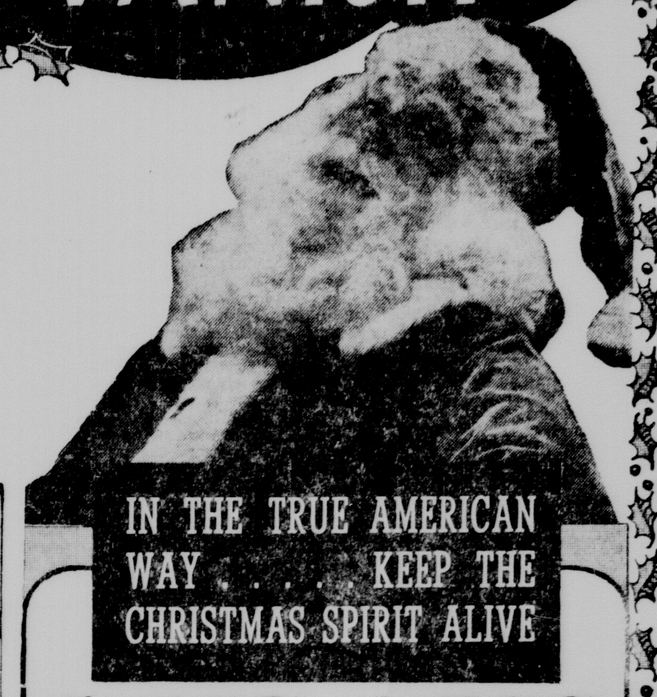
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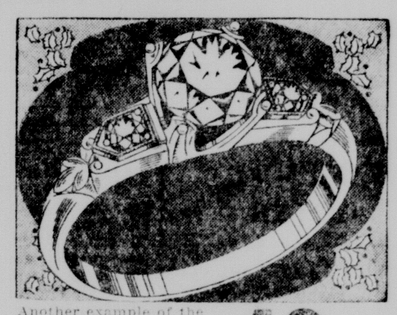
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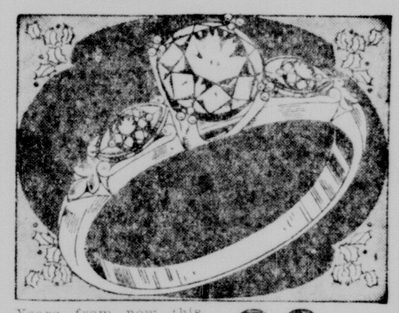
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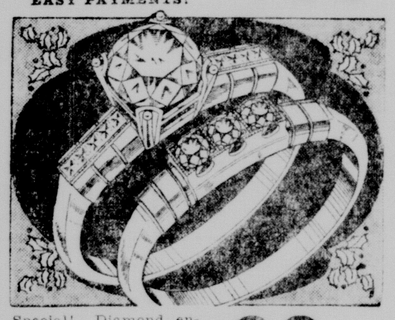
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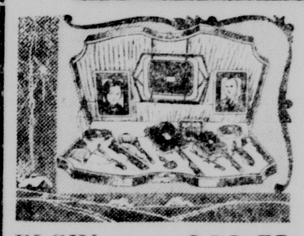


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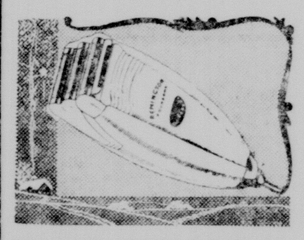
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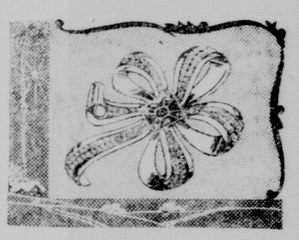
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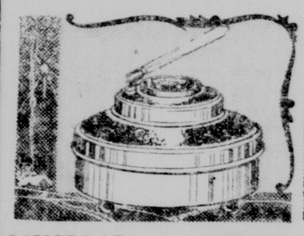
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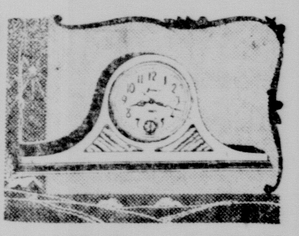
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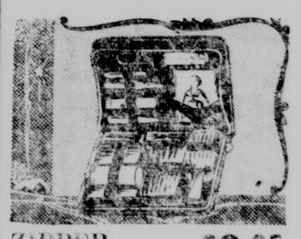


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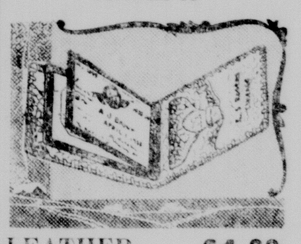
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Milk Price Increases In Two Districts

Milk Control Commission Issues Orders In Erie And Pittsburgh Areas

(International News Service)

HARRISBURG, Dec. 16.—A one and one-half cent a quart increase in the doorstep price of grade B milk was in line today for consumers in the Pittsburgh milk marketing area.

Consumers now pay 14 cents a quart, the milk control commission said in announcing the increases which have the approval of Gov. Arthur H. James. Cash-and-carry stores may sell their milk at 15 cents a quart "if they so elect," the commission added.

'This increased price is practically all passed on to the producer," the commission stated, 'except for an allowance for commissions on milk routes provided in labor contracts. In fact, the over-all margin of the dealers is reduced, even though they have been experiencing increases in costs, labor and material."

The order provides increases for milk producers in all classes of milk. Class one milk was increased from $3.32 to $3.91 per hundred weight for four per cent fluid.

In Erie District

Harrisburg, Dec. 16.—Consumers in the Erie milk market district today faced one cent a quart increase in the price of grade B milk on January 1 under an order approved by Gov. Arthur H. James and the milk control commission.

Milk now costs 14 cents a quart in the Erie area, the commission stated, and the increase will be passed on to the producer except for an allowance for milk route commissions provided in labor contracts. The dealers' over-all margin will be reduced, the commission said, despite increases in costs, labor and material.

All classes of milk were affected by the order with the price of class 1 fluid being increased from $3.24 to $3.70 per hundreweight for the four per cent grade.



Closing Week Of Special Services

Pre-Christmas evangelistic meetings are continuing this week at the Calvary Gospel Tabernacle, one of the largest crowds having attended the service last evening. Rev. Robert E. McKinney is the evangelist.

This evening, Mr. McKinney will speak on The Life of David and His Son, King Solomon", illustrating his message with stereopticon pictures, taken from great masterpieces. Special music is also planned for this service which will start at 7:45 p. m.

There will be services Thursday and Friday evenings and three services on Sunday, the closing day.

No leader need be perfect. The imagination of his followers will provide the perfection.

Wolves Club Party Plans Progressing

Installation Of New Officers Scheduled At Castleton, January 5

At the meeting of the Wolves club Tuesday evening, held at The Castleton, plans progressed for the annual party event, under the direction of the program chairman, A. N. Carbon.

Following the 6:30 o'clock dinner, president Attorney Joseph Leta presided, and later a meeting for the board of directors was held.

Installation of officers will be held on Tuesday, January 5, it was announced. The regular session of bowling for the group was held after the meeting.

Higher Production For Farms Is Goal Of 1943

By WILLIAM BROCKMAN
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

HARRISBURG, Dec. 16.—Pennsylvania farmers, who set hundreds of production records this year, will have even higher goals to attain in 1943. The largest production in the history of American agriculture is being demanded in the food-for-freedom goals set up for next year. A committee is now gathering information to determine the part Pennsylvanians can take in filling their quota, James E. Walker, chairman of the state war board, announced. The committee, Walker explained, is breaking down the tentative allotments into county quotas and then further to individual farms.

"The food-for-freedom goals for 1943 reflect the need for foods of most value in the wartime diet," he asserted. "They call for all the milk we can produce, more meat and eggs, more feed grains to support increased livestock production, more dry beans and peas to supply the proteins needed in our diets, more poultry to supplement our supply of other meats, more of the vegetables that are essential because of their high food value, and more oil crops."

In recognition of their splendid production of essential food in 1942, Pennsylvania farmers will receive "V" awards on December 28. The awards will be given to representative farmers from each of the 67 counties in a ceremony at Harrisburg.

M. Clifford Townsend, administrator of the agricultural conservation and adjustment agency, will present the "V's" which are comparable to the army and navy "E" flags given to industrial plants for excellence in production.

Those who attend the ceremony are being chosen by lot from nominations made by elected community committeemen. They must represent family units "typical of the average patriotic, industrious, frugal producers of food in each agricultural community," it was pointed out. The Pennsylvania program may be used as a guide for the entire nation in 1943, according to Townsend, who is also AAA national administrator. "As we shall probably want to encourage such a program throughout the United States in 1943, we shall be glad to see you complete this program this year in order that it may be used as a guide for all of us in 1943," he said.

Plans have been completed for the 27th meeting of state agriculture organizations, all that remains this year of the popular annual farm show. The various groups will meet in Harrisburg on January 12, 13 and 14, according to Secretary of Agriculture John H. Light, chairman of the farm show commission. None of the regular show activities and exhibits will be held in the capital's farm show buildings as they are being used as a school for army airplane mechanics. The meetings will be held in other public places throughout the city and will be designed to be of particular benefit to agriculture under the stress of war and during the post-war period.

Mission To Provide Baskets And Toys

Public Asked To Donate For Yule Distribution To Needy

The City Rescue Mission hopes to create Christmas cheer in the needy homes of the New Castle district, Superintendent Donald R. Wert announced today.

Mr. Wert said baskets of foodstuffs will be given along with toys, and he appealed to the public to donate to the cause. All families applying for gifts will be thoroughly investigated for their worthiness. The gifts will be distributed following a mission Christmas party Tuesday evening, December 22.

D. A. R. Ships Furs For Marine Vests

Public Contributes Many Furs During Collection Sponsored By Lawrence Chapter

Responding to the appeal of the Lawrence Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution to contribute old or unused furs to be made up into linings for vests for the Merchant Marine service, the public has responded by turning in large quantities of furs. These have already been packed and shipped to headquarters.

During the past week a large number of muffs, a great many fur coats, and some neckpieces, as well as smaller odd bits of fur, were placed in the collection box in Gerson's Jewelry Store.

Success of the fur collection was made possible through the courtesy of Jack Gerson and the cooperation of the Strouss-Hirshberg Company. Several large boxes of furs, packed by the Strouss-Hirshberg Company, are now on their way to the Hollander Company in New York City.

This company, largest fur company in the United States, has chosen as its contribution to the war effort, the making of fur-lined vests for the Merchant Marines.

No money is paid for the furs, nor is any money paid for making the vests, a member of the governing board of Lawrence Chapter, D. A. R., stated today in reporting the successful conclusion of the undertaking and expressing appreciation for the response received.

HOSPITAL NOTES

JAMESON MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Admitted: Mrs. Frances Morosky, West Leasure avenue; William Bartley, R. F. D. No. 2; Richard Kennedy, North Liberty street; Chester L. Casselman, Wilmington avenue; Henry Houk, R.F.D. No. 1; John Harmer, Neshannock avenue; Mrs. Margaret Book, Bell avenue; Helen Francis, New Wilmington; Mrs. Catherine Zedaker, New Bedford.

Discharged: Joan Cox, R. F. D. No. 3, tonsil operation; Wray Staub, Jr., Cleveland avenue; Mrs. Marye Boyle, Beechwood Road, New Wilmington; Harry Trusel, R. F. D. No. 2, Portersville; Mrs. Bertha Hawks, Meyer avenue; Thomas Clements, Neshannock avenue; Dr. Myrtle Jack, R. F. D. No. 2, Stoneboro; James P. Cook, R.F.D. No. 3, Slippery Rock; Marilyn Kyte, Highland avenue; Mrs. Kathryn Curtis and infant daughter, Eighth street; Baby Boy Flynn, Howard Way.

NEW CASTLE HOSPITAL

Admitted: Mrs. Frances Augostine, R. D. 7, Mahoningtown; Mrs. Mary Ann Kos, 1512 Poplar street; John Koski, 218 rear Pearson street; Teresa Kovalick, 1910 Moravia street.

Discharged: Mrs. Angeline Lawson and infant, 302 East Friendship street; Mrs. Julia Kendra, 109 Charter street; Mrs. Amy Young, Enon Valley; Mrs. Elizabeth Stoner, 815 McCleary avenue.

We can take Jap-held islands one by one, but why kick an enemy's shins when you can club his head?

OCD NOTES

Activities Of O. C. D. Workers Are Outlined In This Column

HOLIDAY LIGHTING

Frank Sargent in charge of OCD arrangements for City Director D. O. Davies today announced receipt of a State Council of defense Bulletin, relatives to decorative Christmas lighting. The Bulletin says:

Inquiries are coming from many sections as to whether or not decorative Christmas lights will be permissible this year in stores, homes, streets, etc. Of course, if present conditions continue to prevail, outdoor decorative Christmas lighting will be permissible, provided the lights can be extinguished at all times immediately upon notice.

Subject, therefore, to changes, there are no special restriction on the use of Christmas decorative lights with respect to the size of lamps, the color of the lamp and the grouping of illuminated decorations. Lamps of any size and of any color desired may be used. It will be permissible to use as many lights or strings of lights as may be desired.

HERE ARE RESTRICTIONS

The restrictions on this type of lighting are similar to the restrictions established for any type of general lighting during a blackout practice or an air raid drill and include the following:

1. Christmas lighting on stores and store fronts shall be connected into the blackout switch which is operated from an accessible position at the front of the store.
2. At least two (2) responsible persons shall be delegated with the responsibility for operating each blackout switch in order to guarantee prompt extinguishment of the lights in an emergency.
3. Decorative lighting of homes, both inside and outside, will be permissible provided some responsible person of the household is on the premises who can and will turn off all lighting in an emergency.
4. Decorative outdoor lighting, erected by municipal authorities and public organizations, is permissible if the provisions of items 1 and 2 above are met.

MANUALS AVAILABLE

First aid manuals are being distributed to all wardens posts, all fire stations and also at police headquarters. Any adult may secure one free.

OPEN TO RECRUITING

Post commanders in various precincts are willing to encourage enlistments in the OCD. It is likely some may be recruited when they obtain First Aid manuals.

CHECK SWITCHES NOW

Owners and managers of buildings, stores, etc., where there is black-out equipment should check the equipment tiwce a month. This is for your protection according to Frank Sargent.

PULASKI

Mrs. Walter Crabbe and Mrs. Hattie Love, were Youngstown visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Overly, of Youngstown, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stowe.

Mrs. Charles Simpson who has been confined to her home for several months with illness is improving.

Mrs. Lee E. Allen of New Castle, spent the week end the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Kerr and sister, Miss Lois Kerr.

Lloyd Mitcheltree who was hunting deer last week was successful in securing a 6-point deer. Among others who were hunting were J. W. McClennahan.

Friends here have received word of the serious illness of Miss Olive Van Fleet, formerly from her, but now of California. Miss Van Fleet is a cousin of Mrs. Mary Adams, now of Ellwood City.

The regular meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service will be held at the home of Mrs. Walter Mitcheltree on Friday evening with Mrs. James Black co-hostess. Christmas gifts will be exchanged.

Mr. and Mrs. William Shnedden of Sharon were guests at the Willim Kerr home Thursday evening. Mrs. Kerr who has been confined to her home for some with illness remains about the same.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gallagher entertained the Sunday school board of the Methodist school at their home on Monday evening. The business meeting was in charge of the superintendent, Roy C. Bilger, after which a social evening was enjoyed.

Mrs. Laura Wilson was called to Youngstown, Friday evening, by the illness of her son, J. C. Wilson, who was operated on for appendicitis. She was accompanied home on Sunday by her granddaughter, Mrs. Jean Maxwell and William Johnston of Youngstown.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church held an all day meeting at the home of Mrs. Mary Gibson on Thursday. At noon a tureen dinner was enjoyed. The time was spent in quilting. Eleven boxes were packed and sent for Christmas, for the boys in service.

Mrs. Laura Wilson and Mrs. Walter Crabbe, entertained the members of Class Six in the Methodist Sunday school on Thursday evening. Following the business meeting a social evening was enjoyed in a variety of game and a delicious lunch was served by the hostesses, asissted by Mrs. Hattie Love.

BEN LYON IS MAJOR

(International News Service)

LONDON, Dec. 16—Ben Lyon, one-time American film star who came to London several years ago with his movie-actress wife Bebe Daniels, has been commissioned a major in the U. S. Army Air Force, it was announced Tuesday.

Lyon and his wife have been London night club favorites and at various times entertained American soldiers on leave in the British capital.

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HILLSVILLE

STAMP SALES

Mrs. Elizabeth Miller, principal of the Hillsville Consolidated school reports that during last week there was a total of $661.80 worth of stamps and bonds bought by the pupils of the school. She also reports that so far in the school term there has been $2,514.55 worth bought. This amount is just for the Hillsville school and does not include the other township schools.

HOME GUARDS MEET

The members of the Home Guards of the Methodist church met on Saturday evening in the home of Raymond Zarlingo under the supervision of their teacher, Miss Blanche Garber.

Following the business meeting, the evening was spent in playing games.

At the close of the evening's entertainment a delicious lunch was served by the host assisted by his mother, Mrs. Eugene Zarlingo.

PARTY HELD

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Penwell entertained a number of relatives and friends on Friday evening in their home in honor of their nephews, Frank and Harold Penwell, who have left for the U. S. Army.

Dancing was the main diversion of the evening. At a late hour a delicious lunch was served by the hosts.

HILLSVILLE NOTES

Mrs. Grace Simari has recovered sufficiently to return to her home from the New Castle Hospital.

Mrs. Russell Cracraft and son and Messrs. Harold and Frank Penwell spent Friday visiting in New Castle.

Mr. and Mrs. William List of New Middletown, R. D., spent Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs Anna List.

Private Harold List, stationed at Washington, D. C., spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman List.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Penwell and famliy have changed their residence to Bessemer where they will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Theron Best and family of New Brighton spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kinkela and family of Poland, O., spent Sunday visiting with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Shuluga.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Carnavich and family of Struthers, O., spent Sunday with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Caggiano.

Friends here will be glad to hear that Private Carl List, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben List has been promoted to corporal at Camp Philips, Kansas.

LEESBURG

W. W. Hill is on the sick list.

Mrs. William Simons spent a day at New Castle.

George Sweezy of Grove City spent a day with friends here.

The girl scouts will meet at the church Saturday afternoon from 2 to 4.

Mrs. Charles Mills and Mrs. James Marshall spent Thursday at Sharon.

The Christmas entertainment will be held next Sunday evening, December 20th

Mr. and Mrs. Jim English of Mercer were Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Stone.

Mrs James Marshall and daughters spent Saturday with Mrs. Clifford Mathieson at Grove City.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Campbell and son of West Middlesex Heights spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Marshall.

Alice Oakes has returned to her home after being under observation for several days at the Jamieson hospital at New Castle.

Mrs. John Hayne, Mrs. Milt Anderson, Mrs Blanche Hedglin, Mrs. Paul Crawford and Norma and Dorothy Crawford, Mrs. Harold Royal, Mrs. Harry Simpson and Eleanor Wimer spent Thursday at New Castle.

A rented locomotive furnishes the steam heat that has made possible a third shift at a Lester, Pa., plant participating in the war production drive

Health Talks

By DR. W. A. WOMER
City Health Superintendent

A COLD FOR CHRISTMAS

Did you ever notice that people often have a bad cold around Christmas time?

There are many reasons for it and we might consider a few.

Crowds are one of the reasons. You are pushed around in the stores and buses. Even in church there are crowds. Some one is sure to have a cold and cough it to you.

People are friendlier. They shake hands oftener. Some one coughs on his hand. He shakes with you. You put your hand to your face. Presto, you have a Christmas cold.

People get tired. They do extra work. They stay up later. They go to parties. They lose sleep. They worry about those Christmas presents. Then the little germ catches them.

What can we do about it?

Wash your hands often. Keep them away from your face. Wash before you eat.

Keep away from coughers.

Get your regular sleep.

Use plenty of milk and eggs for vitamin A.

Get in the open air at noon for vitamin D.

Eat some pork, prunes, and plenty peanuts for vitamin B.

Be still sometimes and talk with God.

LOCAL GIRL GOES TO DAYTON

Miss Bertha Taylor, 330 East North street, has left for Dayton, O., where she has accepted a position with the National Cash Register company. As a preliminary to her work, she will take a six to eight months course in mechanical training given by the company.

Miss Taylor is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David J. Taylor of East North street.

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COUGHING SPASMS — To relieve distress, melt a spoonful of VapoRub in a bowl of boiling water. Inhale the steaming, medicated vapors. Feel relief come right with the first breath!

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Peas .....pkg. 25c
Lima Beans ....pkg. 26c
Rhubarb .....pkg. 19c
Squash .....pkg. 18c
Sliced Strawbrs. pkg. 30c

10-lb. bag
Onions 39c
U. S. No. 1
Potatoes... peck 43c
Florida
Oranges ....doz. 35c
Sweet Potatoes or
Yams .....4 lbs. 29c
150 Size Juicy
Tangerines.. doz. 37c
80 Size Seedless
Grapefruit.. 6 for 29c
60 Size Head
Iceberg Lettuce ..17c

Nutley Oleo ...lb. 16c
Bokar Coffee .lb. 26c
No. 1 Guaranteed
Eggs .....doz. 47c
Mel-O-Bit
Cheese. 2-lb. loaf 61c
Durkee's
Oleo .....lb. 25c
Tall Cans White House
Milk .....6 for 49c
47-oz. can Campbell's
Tomato Juice ...27c
4-lb. pkg.
Spaghetti 27c
2-lb. pkg.
Fig Bars 25c
No. 2½ can Duff's
Molasses 30c
2-lb. jar Tasker's
Mince Meat 28c
Seneca
Oil .....gal. $1.57
5-lb. bag Daily
Dog Feed 27c
Chicken
Noodle Soup, 3 for 29c
Kraft Macaroni
Dinners ....pkg. 10c
Waldorf
Tissue ...6 rolls 25c
2-lb. can Dexo
Shortening 61c
Sultana
Cocktail.. 2 cans 31c
No. 2½ can Iona
Peaches ...2 for 41c
5-lb. bag Sunnyfield
Pancake Flour ...19c
Navy Beans 3 lbs. 21c
Tenderoni, 3 pkgs. 19c
Cooks in 7 Minutes
1½-lb. box Yellow
Corn Meal 9c
White Sail
Soap Grains. 2 Lbs. 37c
Heinz
Baby Foods. 3 for 20c
Ice Cream
Salt... 10-lb. bag 19c
1-lb. pkg.
Oyster Crackers .11c
Sterling
Salt .....3 pkgs. 11c
20-lb. box
Spaghetti $1.09
8-oz. pkg.
Potato Chips 23c
Battleship
Mustard .....qt. 10c

Fresh
Neck Bones ..lb. 10c
Fresh
Brains .....lb. 17c
Fresh
Spare Ribs ...lb. 23c
Fresh
Pork Kidneys .lb. 17c
English Cuts
Pork Chops ...lb. 33c
Fresh
Pork Feet ....lb. 10c
Fresh
Pork Hearts ..lb. 23c
Fresh
Pork Sausage. lb. 31c
New Bulk
Kraut 5c
Chilled
Haddock Fillets lb. 27c
Chilled
Red Fish Fillets, lb. 27c
Stewing
Oysters ..... pt. 47c

Holiday Shoppers Are Practical This Year

By JANE COCHRAN
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Christmas shoppers, with more money jingling in their pockets than in many a year, are being practical-minded about gift buying today.

Instead of giving a hand-carved marble umbrella stand, this Christmas they're giving real jewelry; the man who might have gotten a tooled leather photograph frame last year now will get fur-lined shoes to wear on his air raid warden or plane spotting duties.

Good furs, good clothes, nice purses, warm sweaters and big bottles of expensive, but excellent, perfumes are big sellers among the Fifth avenue stores in New York. The type of Christmas gift, so prevalent in past years, that was opened on Christmas and immediately retired to a dark, dark closet, is being shown and bought only in rare instances this year.

Big Seller

And the biggest seller in one smart store, an item they find almost impossible to keep in stock, are flannel nightgowns!

Warm sweaters, wooly underwear, bootees, quilted vests, padded housecoats and jackets—all sorts of practical, warm items people would never dream of requesting from Santa last year—will help ease the heating shortage in after-Christmas days this winter.

With the exception of silk and nylon stockings, there's no real shortage of Christmas gifts, even in the high price tag brackets. Electrical equipment, sheets and pillow cases, certain foodstuffs and low-priced men's shirts are far from plentiful, but can be found.

Lovely gifts of lingerie and accessories to make her more beautiful will win a "practical" gift vote from most every woman and these are being bought in quantity. No one can explain just why, but there's a terrific boom in sheer, lace-trimmed black lingerie!

Shopping Started Early

Customers started their shopping early—persons buying gifts in October for overseas service men spent a few extra minutes to buy for Aunt Mazie, Uncle Phil and the rest of the family, and business has been good since then.

Perfume is as plentiful as ever, and the stores boasting the largest stock in the world, reports that large bottles, selling at $45, $72 and even $100, are selling even before the smaller sizes. Foreign perfumes, for many years, have been blended and packaged here and they're as plentiful as ever. Foreign manufacturers, one store pointed out, are in an even better position than domestic—their supplies of alcohol are not restricted by the ban imposed on domestic manufacturers.

Lots of real jewelry—pieces that will be treasured year after year—is being sold in preference to flashy pieces of "junk" jewelry. "Junk" jewelry is scarce, however, because of the restriction on metal. Furs, regarded as a good investment, are widely sold.

Novelty gifts for men—leather desk sets, photograph frames and items of this type—have little sale. The men who would ordinarily receive them are either in the armed services or expecting to be called. House shoes and warm clothes for civil defense jobs are in great demand.

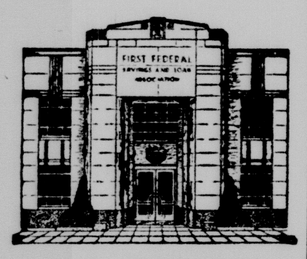
Sequin trimmed hats, muffs and jackets and all types of glamorous feminine accessories are in demand from two quarters. The women themselves want them, and their men in the service want their women to look feminine and pretty. For the first time in several decades, the men are dressing in the glitter of gold braid and buttons, and their women want to dress up to him.

And all the stores—without exception—report a brisk demand for war bonds.

Acts AT ONCE to relieve
Night Cough
SPASMS DUE TO COLDS

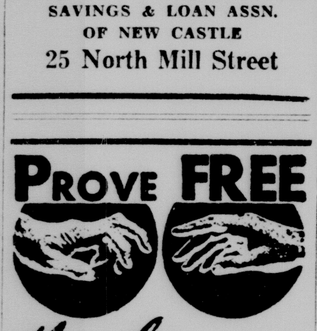
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Post Office Moves 700 Sacks Of Mail

Usually Handles 160 Daily, But Yule Rush Sets Record High

Over 700 sacks of Christmas mail—instead of a normal number of "around 160"—were handled by New Castle post office on Monday alone, Postmaster William R. Hanna reported this morning.

The postmaster said that reflects better than anything else the volume of business now being moved by the office.

Responding to urgent department appeals, the public is co-operating by "mailing earlier than ever," and the Tuesday lobby jam at the post office indicated the response is spreading.

"We have never seen such a volume this early in the holiday period," one mailing official said. "But we want it now, for delivery can't be guaranteed if it is delayed."

Extras stood shoulder to shoulder with regulars in the mail workrooms and out on the parcel post trucks as the force kept the incoming and outgoing loads moving. Christmas cards and parcels both were heavy.

Fourteen Pass Operator's Test

Pennsylvania motor police Tuesday in Sampson street examined 21 applicants for a motor vehicle operator's permit and 14 passed. Tests will be held again December 22, between 9 a. m. and 4 p. m.

The names of those who won a license yesterday are as follows:

Albert Duda, 32 South Beaver street.
Gladys E. Roody, Wampum R. D. 1.
Gerald Warneck, 1725 Wilson avenue.
Laura La Rock, 412 Sixth street.
Kathryn G. Brincko, 708 Allen street.
Gene Parretti, 1416 Laurel avenue.
Edward Wisbith, Wampum.
Angeline R. Caravella, 113 Maitland street.
Mrs. A. Jean Greer, R. D. 2.
Edward Hartman, R. D. 4.
Bernice M. Stickel, Portersville R. D. 2.
Alba Lombardo, 205 South First street.
Edward Wellman, R. D. 4.
Charles H. Pacella, Ellwood City.

North Beaver

Mrs. Haverfield who has been ill in Cadiz, Ohio, has recovered and is able to be about again.

Private Frank Clark has been sent to the state of Maine where he is in training in the United States Army.

Mrs. John Davidson and daughter Lola Jean of Bessemer, spent Saturday with Mrs. Robert Harman.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Book and daughter, visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Book of Edenburg.

Mrs. Blanch Fullerton, who is very ill at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gilkeys, of New Castle, remains about the same.

Mrs. James Shaffer and daughter who have spent some time with relatives here, has returned to their home in Sharon.

Mrs. James Swogger and daughter Audrene, were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Kuhn and family.

Wayne Thompson motored to Transfer, Pa., Sunday and visited his parents and his grandmother, Mrs. John Thompson.

Friends and relatives here are sorry to learn that Mr. H. L. Fullerton is very ill and is in the Mercy Hospital at Pittsburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. George Schmitt and family, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Martin and family, of Bessemer.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clark, of New Castle, called on the former's father, Walter Clark, also Mrs. Charles Rhodes and daughter, Sunday.

Word has been received here by relatives that Francis Gillette who has been in Africa that he has landed in New York, and expects to visit relatives here soon.

Mrs. John Thompson, who has been ill at the home of her son Frank Thompson, of Transfer, remains about the same. She is still confined to her bed.

The Porter Reed Guild will meet Staurday afternoon at four o'clock at the home of Misses Ruth and Marion Emery. A Christmas dinner will be served at 6 o'clock.

There will be no church services at the Westfield church Sunday morning. There will be a short practice in the afternoon for the Christmas entertainment which will be given in the evening at 8 o'clock in the Westfield Presbyterian church.

Neighborhood House November Report

Miss Mary Riffer Entertains Americanization Board At Christmas Party

At the meeting of the Americanization Board held last Saturday evening, the following report was given for the Neighborhood House for the month of November.

Calls made, 32. Classes now in session: sewing class, now enrolled, 44; citizenship class, 20; L. T. L., 60; evangelism, central group meeting each Tuesday evening at the Neighborhood House, and the three home classes meeting once each month.

The Thursday night prayer group has joined with the South Side Bible class under the leadership of Rev. Sidney K. Bliss.

The Bible study class meets each Tuesday evening and now has an enrollment of 40. The attendance at the Sabbath school, Jay Allsworth, superintendent, is good. Nine girls and seven boys have recited the Bible verses to be learned in the study. A Christmas program is being prepared to be presented on December 20, members of the different departments of the Sabbath school taking part. Leaders of the program are Jean Butler and Eleanor Saros.

Miss Frances Craig and Mrs. Chester Minnich, representing the Willing Workers class of the Second U. P. Sunday school, presented three of the Neighborhood House families with well filled Thanksgiving baskets. Quilt patches and cards have been received from Mrs. A. A. Webb, cards from Mrs. James Hinkson, Mrs. William Scott, Mrs. D. L. Phillips and Miss Elizabeth Fulkerson. Two games for the boys club were given by Miss Riffer. New Testaments were given to three of the boys leaving for the Army.

Gifts have also been received from the Reading Circle through Mrs. Wayne Stitzinger; magazines and cards from Mrs. C. E. Book, and cards from Miss Sarah Snyder, Edenburg. The Y. M. C. A. has given 30 of the boys between the ages of 10 and 14 permission to use the swimming pool. A social meeting held was that of the boys Sunday school class with 22 present. Games and refreshments were features.

After the board meeting, Miss Mary Riffer entertained the board and all officials of all departments, the teachers and officers of the Bible school, at a Christmas party at her home.

RICH HILL

FAREWELL PARTY

On a recent evening, friends and relatives, numbering about 40, gathered in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hackett, New Wilmington road, to honor Albert Orlo Knight, who left Monday morning for army service.

Five hundred and other games provided the chief diversions. Miss Pauline Williams of Pulaski and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kennon of New Castle were special guests.

The honoree was presented with a purse of money.

Lunch was served by the host and hostess, assisted by Mrs. James Knight, Mrs. James Fobes and Mrs. William Knight.

RICH HILL NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. John Sontag spent Friday in New Castle.

Eddie Kirk is recovering from an attack of grip at his home here.

Mrs. Lillian Gillespie, of Seattle, Wash., was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. K. K. McCreary.

Albert and Thomas Knight and Earl Fobes of Highland Heights visited Mr. and Mrs. William Knight, Sunday.

William Knight spent Saturday with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ward, of Highland Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Burton and daughter of New Castle spent Sunday with Mrs. Burton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. K. McCreary.

Mrs. Gladys Shellenberger, who has been confined to her home for several weeks with grip, is improved. Gerald and Dale Shellenberger, who were ill, are now able to be up.

The Wisconsin unemployment compensation act, which went into effect July 1, 1934, was the first such act adopted by any American state.

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It's because George W. Foster, crippled attendant at the stand for years, lies seriously ill at a daughter's home in Cleveland.

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Cards addressed to George W. Foster, 7004 Whitney avenue, Cleveland, O., will cheer him at a time when cheer means much to him.

Nearly all available ships of the Great Lakes iron ore fleet have been put into service at Toledo, O., and those not yet in commission are being readied. More than 95 per cent of the fleet, 284 ships out of 299, are in commission. The total in service by mid-season is expected to reach 304.

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Give Schedule Of Knitting And Production Rooms

Red Cross Hours During Holiday Period Announced By Chairman

Mrs. Harold Wharton, chairman of Production, and Mrs. Robert M. Garland, chairman of Knitting, announce that the Knitting and Sewing rooms in the Wallace Block for Red Cross work will be closed Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday December 23, 24, 25 and 26, during the Christmas holidays.

The rooms will be open Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday before New Years but will close Thursday, December 31, Friday, January 1 and Saturday, January 2.

After the holidays the rooms will be open as usual, Monday through Friday, 9:30 a. m., to 4:30 p. m.

The Surgical Dressing schedule will be listed later this week.

CHEWTON

CHEWTON CHRISTIAN CHURCH

10:00 a. m., Bible school; C. B. Guy, Supt., Mrs. O. V. Douthitt Jr., Supt.; 10:30 a. m., combined Bible school and church services with Lord's Supper and morning worship; 7:45 p. m., annual Christmas program will be given under the supervision of Mrs. Elmer Badger and committee.

ENTERTAINS AT DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Houk entertained at a 6 o'clock dinner on Thursday evening at their home Those enjoying the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Herbert of Wampum and Pvt. and Mrs. Paul Herbert. Pvt. Herber is stationed at Camp Carrabella, St. Petersburg Fla., and is enjoying a ten-day furlough with relatives and friends here.

CLASS MEETINGS

Class No. 5 of the Chewton Christian Sunday school will hold their regular monthly business meeting at the home of Miss Dorothy Kelly on Wednesday evening, Dec. 16. This meeting will be in the form of their annual Christmas party.

Class No. 3 of the Chewton Christian Sunday school will meet in the basement of the church on Friday evening at 6:00 o'clock for a tureen dinner which will be in the form of a Christmas party.

The girls of Classes No. 5 and 8 will hold a combined meeting in the form of a Christmas party at the home of Miss Ada Tillia on Monday evening, December 21.

CHEWTON NOTES

Neil Guy and Gail McCready were in Pittsburgh on Friday.

Mrs. S. D. Hendershot spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Roy Newton of Aliquippa.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Durbin of Midland visited with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Durbin on Thursday evening.

Mrs. John Galbreath of Wampum, visited at the home of Mrs. Eliza Conner on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Roy Douthitt and Sally Lou of Wampum were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Douthitt on Sunday.

Mrs. Eliza Conner, and granddaughter Dorothy Jane, Miss Ada Tillia and Mrs. Clair Houk, were in New Castle on Saturday.

Misses Agnes and Pearl Hennon, Mrs. Chas. Solsberg, and Mrs. Peter Solsberg and daughter Kathryn were business callers in New Castle on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson and children of the Ellwood-New Castle road spent the week end at the home of the latter's father, Mr. Willis Houk and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Snowberger of New Galilee, visited at the Chewton school on Friday. Mrs. Snowberger is the former Miss Jean Owens, a teacher in the Chewton school.

Corp. Robert L. Houk, son of Mrs. Elizabeth Houk, of West Pittsburg, has returned to take up his duties at Camp Pickett, Virginia, after spending a ten-day furlough with relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Miss Dorothy J. Conner attended a farewell party for Sylvester Davis at his home in Clinton on Thursday evening. Sylvester left for New Cumberland, Md., on Saturday morning where he will be inducted into the U. S. Army.

The medieval fortress at Famagusta, on the island of Cyprus, has walls 14 feet thick.

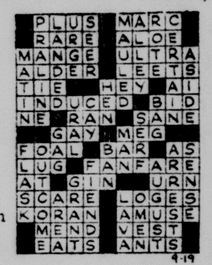
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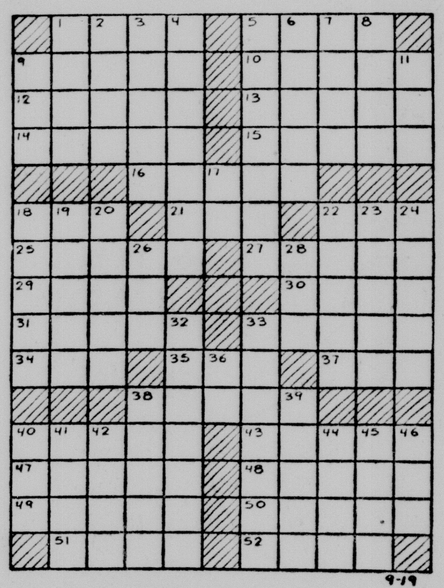
1. Part of hand
5. Strike heavily
9. Popular song
10. Island in New York harbor
12. Existent
13. New Zealand native
14. Perplex
15. Speak
16. Cleanse of soap
18. Male name
21. Born
22. Distress signal
25. Ringing sound
27. Condescend
29. Hodgepodge
30. Great Lake
31. Fissures
33. Curved mark
34. Organ of sight
35. Meadow
37. Indian weight
38. Cataracts
40. Kind of nut
43. Section of church (pl.)
47. Adjudge
48. Loop with running knot
49. Penny (pl.)
50. Nobleman
51. Prophet
52. Otherwise

DOWN

1. Heap
2. Line on which things turn
3. An organ
4. Assembly
5. Absorbed
6. Winged
7. An aperture
8. Employ
9. Peck
11. Title of respect
17. Compass point (abbr.)
18. Orchestrate
19. Narrow lane
20. New England state
22. Procreates
23. Pointed arch
24. Gibe
26. Negative word
28. Ever (poet.)
32. Asperse
33. Equilibrium
36. The (Sp.)
38. A mockery
39. A bobbin
40. Food for invalids
41. Female sheep
42. Walking stick
44. French coins
45. Serf
46. Establish



Yesterday's Answer



ON THE AIR TONIGHT

WKST—1280; KDKA—1020; WCAE—1250; WJAS—1320

6:30 P. M.
KDKA—Sports
WCAE—Foreign News
WJAS—Keep Singing America

6:45 P. M.
KDKA—Lowell Thomas
WCAE—Bette Smiley
WJAS—The world today

7:00 P. M.
KDKA—Fred Waring
WCAE—News
WJAS—Amos 'n' Andy

7:15 P. M.
KDKA—News of the world
WCAE—Uncle Sam Calling
WJAS—Harry James orchestra

7:30 P. M.
KDKA—Music for you
WCAE—California Melodies
WJAS—Easy Aces

7:45 P. M.
KDKA—Church Acree
WJAS—Mr. Keen

8:00 P. M.
KDKA—Adventures of Thin Man
WCAE—News
WJAS—Nelson Eddy

8:15 P. M.
WCAE—They're the Barries

8:30 P. M.
KDKA—Tommy Dorsey
WCAE—True Story theatre
WJAS—Dr. Christian

8:55 P. M.
WJAS—News

9:00 P. M.
KDKA—Eddie Cantor
WCAE—News
WJAS—The Arkansas Traveler

9:15 P. M.
WCAE—Jack Pearl

9:30 P. M.
KDKA—Mr. District Attorney
WJAS—Mayor of the town

10:00 P. M.
KDKA—Kay Kyser
WCAE—News
WJAS—Great Moments in Music

10:15 P. M.
WCAE—Art Kassel's orchestra.

10:30 P. M.
WCAE—Sports
WJAS—The Man Behind the gun

10:45 P. M.
WCAE—Ravel's orchestra

11:00 P. M.
KDKA—WCAE—WJAS—News

11:15 P. M.
WCAE—Treasury Star parade
WJAS—Benny Goodman orchestra

11:30 P. M.
WCAE—Salute to the stars
WJAS—Guy Lombardo

12:00 A. M.
KDKA—Frank Andrini's South Americans
WCAE—Griff Williams orchestra
WJAS—News, Bobby Sherwood orch.

12:15 A. M.
KDKA—Paul Martin's music

12:30 A. M.
KDKA—Ray Mace's music
WCAE—BBC news, Elliott's orch.
WJAS—Sign off

W K. S. T.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17th, 1942

7:00—Musical Clock
7:30—Bible Breakfast
7:45—Musical Clock
8:15—Jolly Joe
8:30—Family Altar
9:00—Morning Edition-News
9:10—Morning Rehearsal
9:45—Church in the Wildwood
10:05—Slim Carter and His Pals
11:05—For Women Only
11:30—Listen to Leibert
11:45—Memorable Music
12:00—News at Noon
12:15—The Town Crier
12:20—The Streamliners
12:45—Shopping With Raye
1:05—County Extension News
1:30—Treasury Song Parade
1:45—Farm Fair
1:45—American Legion Auxiliary Talk
2:05—Number Please
3:05—Concert Hall of the Air
3:30—Side Show
3:45—Meet the Band
4:05—Tea Time Tunes
4:30—Slim Carter and His Pals
5:05—Flashes of Life
5:15—London Calling FM
5:30—Komic Klub Parade
5:45—Ridin' the RAange
6:00—Evening Edition
6:15—Dinner Serenade
6:30—Daily War Review from London
6:45—Treasury Star Parade
7:00—Between the Lines
7:15—Hollywood Headlines
7:30—New Castle High School
8:05—Danceland of the Air
9:00—War Summary
9:05—Danceland of the Air
9:50—Final Edition-News
10:00—SIGN OFF FOR WKST

HARLANSBURG

GARDEN CLUB AND RED CROSS

On Wednesday, December 16, the members of the local Garden Club will have a Christmas gift exchange in the afternoon. On Wednesday morning the ladies of the community are invited to be present to do Red Cross sewing at the Red Cross room.

There will be no sewing done Christmas week but a good attendance is urged on the next Wednesday, December 30.

HONOR ROLL

The honor roll for the grades has been announced as follows: Eighth Grade: Gail McMurray, Joseph Post, Marjorie Richael.

Seventh grade: Anna Turk, Charlotte McMurray, Paul Max Dight and William Schlipp.

Sixth grade: Marian Snee and Norman Dale Hunt.

Fifth grade: William Brown.

HARLANSBURG NOTES

Mrs. Clarence Allison is confined to her home by illness.

K. N. Brenneman spent several days last week at Tionesta.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith, of Canton, O., spent a day last week with her sister, Mrs. Ella Totman.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Varnum and children, were Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Staup of Sandy Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Eakin had as recent dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Offutt and Billy, of Ellwood City, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Eakin, of Sharon, Mr. and Mrs Chester White and Ronald, of New Castle



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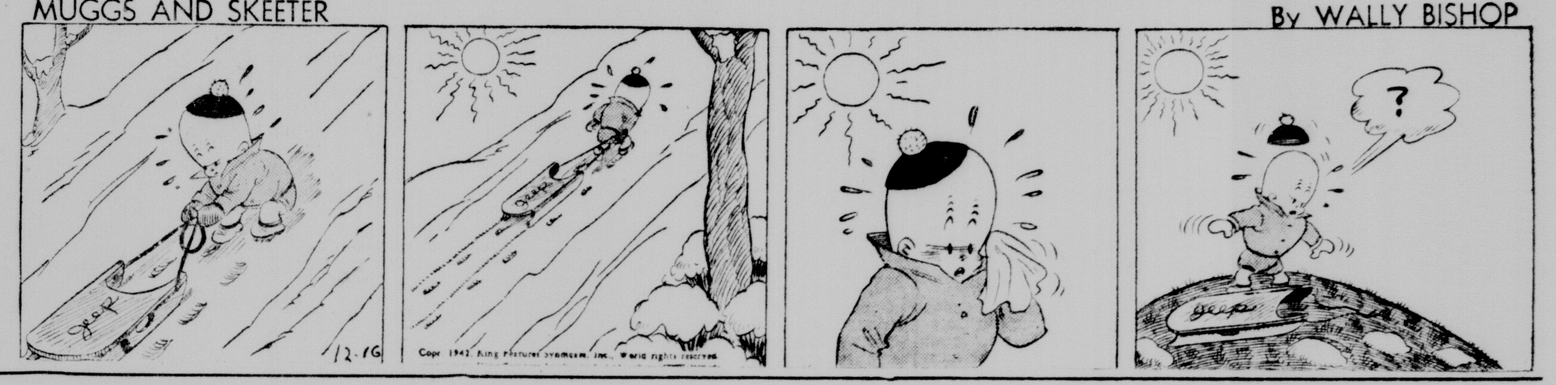
"BLONDIE" "GET BEHIND ME, SATAN!" By CHIC YOUNG



JOE PALOOKA OLD NEWS By HAM FISHER



MUGGS AND SKEETER By WALLY BISHOP



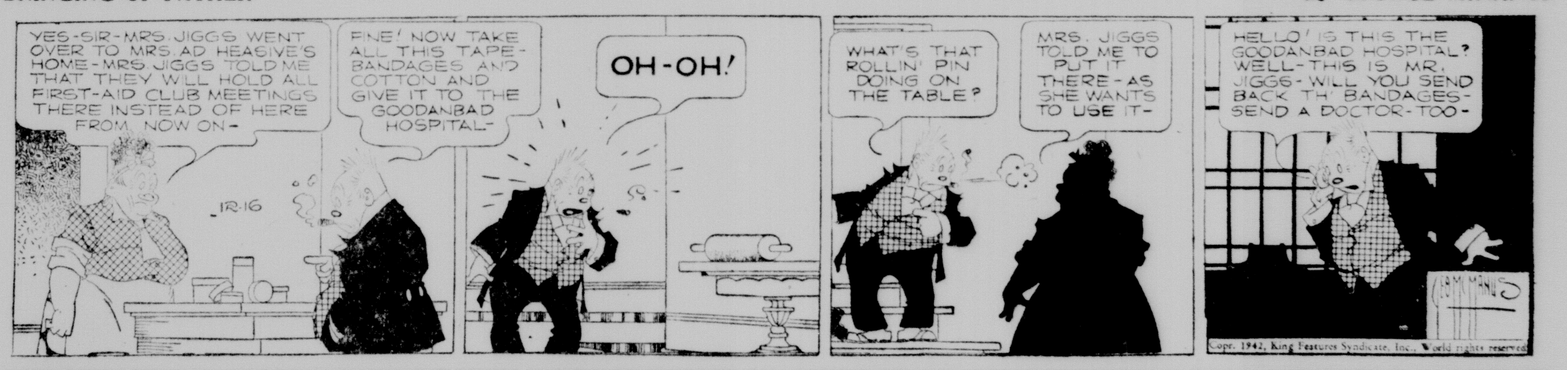
BRICK BRADFORD—On the Throne of Titania By WILLIAM RITT and CLARENCE GRAY



FELIX THE CAT FAIR AND WARMER!



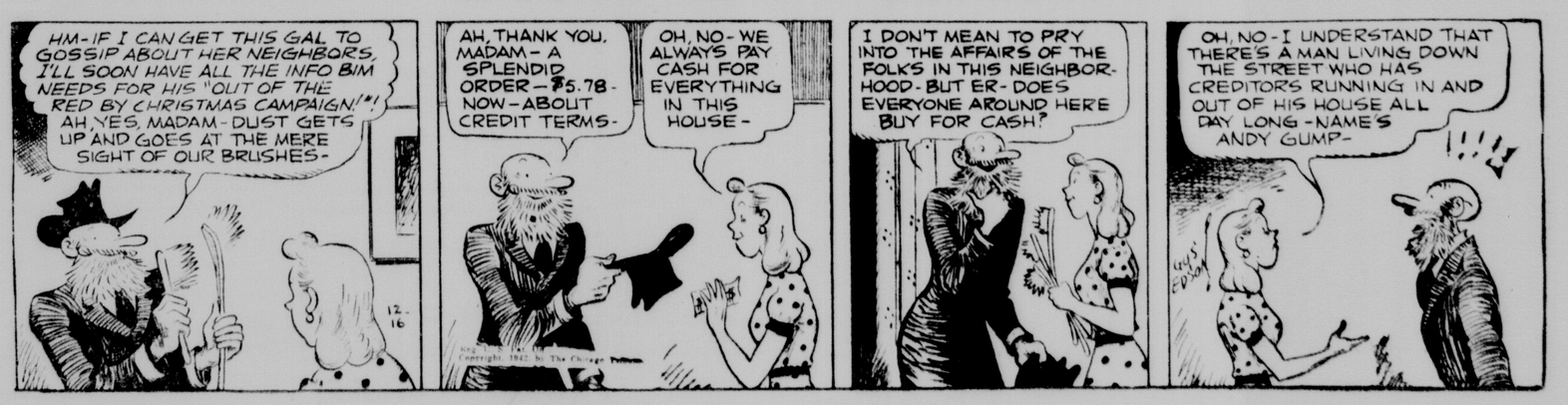
BRINGING UP FATHER By GEORGE McMANUS



LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE—SEEING EYE



THE GUMPS—ANDY GETS THE NEIGHBORHOOD GOSSIP



ONE PUNCH NEVER WON A FIGHT!



ONE BOND NEVER PAID FOR A WAR!

Rommel is on the run.

The Japs have been taking it on the chin in the Pacific.

Mussolini is very unhappy over the bombings of Turin and Naples.

BUT the war isn't over yet.

One punch seldom won a fight. One blackeye never was a knockout.

One busted tooth never called for the sponge.

And one bond never paid for a war.

You've bought a bond . . That's fine. But it isn't enough; We've got the Axis cut up here and there --- they're bleeding --- sure, but they're not licked yet --- not by a country mile.

It takes more bombs --- more tanks --- more planes --- more ammunition.

Don't just sing "Pass The Ammunition". The tune will sound a lot better if you really do pass it --- and the way to pass it is in bonds.

You have your choice, bonds or bombs. Bonds here mean bombs over there.

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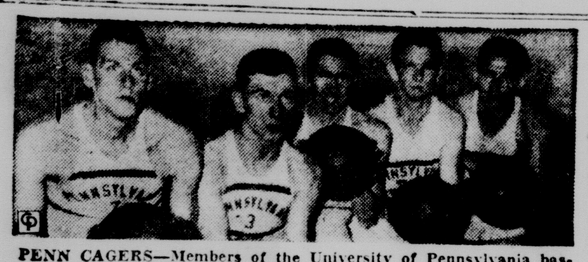
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PENN CAGERS—Members of the University of Pennsylvania basketball team stage their first practice session.

SPORTS
NEW CASTLE NEWS



DIAMOND CHAT—Jim Basso, Chet Hadjuk and Hank Marino, veteran players, talk baseball in Chicago.

Allegheny Quint Surprises Titans

'Gators Come Up With 45-43 Victory In Meadville On Tuesday

(Special To The News)

MEADVILLE, Dec. 16.—There's considerable rejoicing today throughout Allegheny college's campus. Here's the reason:

Facing a highly favored Westminster cage squadron, here last night, the 'Gators unfurled one of the top surprises of the early season by nipping the famous Titans, 45-43, in a nip and tuck contest.

The tussle was a see-saw affair in the opening minutes and remained that way until the final Whistle. At recess time, the Titans departed with a 24-23 edge.

As the battle got under way again, Westminster stepped ahead and seemed headed for victory, taking a 36-31 edge. But, the 'Gators came roaring back to tie and the count, 36-all and then forge ahead 39-36.

The Titans pulled behind by a mere two points and muffed at least a dozen shots in the closing minute.

Allegheny's superiority under the hoops spelled defeat for the Washabaughmen. The Meadvillers popped in most of their points under the mesh.

Goldblum High Man

Goldblum was high man for the Titans, firing a half dozen field goals and two fouls. Fred Miller came next with 12 points and Frankie O'Hara contributed 10 as the Lawrence Countians opened their collegiate program.

Allegheny's spoilers were paced by Present, who pitched 16 points, Todd and Nicholls.

This marked Allegheny's third successive win of the campaign.

The lineup:

Westminster:	Fg.	F.	TP.
Dierken, f	1	1	3
O'Hara, f	5	0	10
Goldblum, c	6	2	14
Miller, g	5	2	12
Ossoff, g	1	2	4
Totals	18	7	43

Non-scoring subs: J. Bennett, Jones, D. Bennett.

Allegheny:	Fg.	F.	TP.
Conroy, f	0	1	1
May, f	2	1	5
Present, c	7	2	16
Nicholls, g	4	0	8
Frey, g	0	0	0
Wigton, f	2	0	4
Miller, c	1	0	2
Todd, g	3	3	9
Totals	19	7	45

Non-scoring subs: Szec, Kahl and McMillan.

Halftime score: Westminster 24, Allegheny 23.

Fouls: Westminster, 7 out of 11; Allegheny, 7 out of 14.

DAVE GENKINGER OPERATED ON TODAY

Dave Genkinger, star center on the New Castle high school football team, underwent an operation in the Jameson Memorial hospital today for an injury to his knee, sustained in the waning moments of the final game of the season against Aliquippa, when the local gridders won the WPIAL championship in handy fashion.

The cartilage of the knee was injured and operation was performed to remove the condition.

Craine's 23 Points Help Wampum Win

Hennon Dribblers Cop Fourth, Route Freedom By 46-31 Count

Wampum high's track hoop brigade today sported its fourth consecutive pre-season triumph, a 46-31 conquest of Freedom, gained Tuesday night on Wampum's hardwood.

As in past victories, Coy Craine Wampum scoring wizard, led the way, scorching the mesh for 23 points. In four settos, Craine has popped in 90 points.

Scala played an excellent supporting role, contributing 13 points. Kopiar was Freedom's main show.

Tonight, Wampum plays at Monaca, and on Friday at Ellwood City.

The lineup:

Wampum	Fg.	F.	Tp.
Marich, f	0	1	1
G. Bennett, f	2	1	5
Craine, c	10	3	23
Sawor, g	0	0	0
Scala, g	6	1	13
F. Bennett, f	1	0	2
Davis, g	1	0	2
Totals	20	6	46

Non-Scoring Subs: Downing Grimmen and Baker.

Freedom	Fg.	F.	Tp
Hall, f	2	0	4
Marsilio, f	0	1	1
Koplar, c	6	1	13
Shingler, g	0	0	0
DePalis, g	1	2	4
Sabolic, f	2	1	5
Reed, f	2	0	4
Totals	13	5	31

Score by quarters:

Wampum	13	18	9	6—46
Freedom	7	7	10	7—31

Referee: Schill.

New Wilmington Wallops Mercer

Kenny Cathcart Paces "Greyhounds" To 44-14 Triumph Tuesday Night

Guided by tall Kenny Cathcart, who whammed 17 points, New Wilmington High brushed past Mercer High, 44-14, last night at New Wilmington.

The "Greyhounds" led throughout. At halftime, N. W. sported a 17-8 lead.

In the preliminary, the New Wilmington Reserves knocked off the Junior Class, 35-10.

The lineup:

N. Wilmington:	Fg.	F.	TP.
Evans, f	1	0	2
Green, f	2	0	4
Cathcart, c	8	1	17
Borowicz, g	2	4	8
Dunlevy, g	0	0	0
Miller	2	0	4
Wagner	2	1	5
Struble	1	0	2
States	1	0	2
Totals	19	6	44

Mercer:	Fg.	F.	TP.
Zahnizer, f	1	1	3
Boyd, f	0	0	0
McElrath, c	3	3	9
Redic, g	0	0	0
Wringer, g	1	0	2
Totals	5	4	14

'Canes Easily Top East, 40-31

Andrews, Burris Share Scoring Honors As Locals Roll In First Win

N. C. DRIBBLERS SHOW IMPROVEMENT

Displaying a bit too much 'savvy' for their adversaries, New Castle high's cage warriors easily vanquished Youngstown East high, 40-31, Tuesday on George Washington floor.

Checked in the opening two minutes, the locals put on a field goal and foul shooting demonstration that bordered on the sensational side.

Pad Lead Early

With Andrews, Zubkowsky and Burris leading the way, the 'Canes marched ahead 16-5 as the opening period ended. Fast moving "Billy" Andrews popped in three fielders and a foul; Zubkowsky a deuce and a pair of gratis shots and Burris flipped five out of five Annie Oakleys.

N. C. continued padding the margin as the second swung into action. Burris dribbled in for a double plyer. He was fouled, too, and connected to widen the gap, 19-6. Andrews pitched two more points from the free ticket line. Subs started streaming into the tiff. Wimer slammed a fielder near the close of the half.

The localites quit the court for the halftime session comfortably ahead, 23-6.

Machine-gun-like fielders by Zubkowsky and Andrews and a foul by Razzano further padded the 'Cane lead in the third. With the count against them 28-8, Vicarel fired a two pointer and Dellich tipped in two shots but Jacobs meshed a pair of birdies from the side and Zubkowsky's shot from the foul circle was a beaut to boost the edge, 33-14. The 'Canes held the upper hand, 35-19, as the third closed.

Substitutes saw action during most of the final frame when the Ohioans managed to pull up within nine points of deadlocking the count.

Andrews Plays Well

Andrews continued his fine play by ramming 11 points via four fielders and three out of three fouls. Burris was tied with the youngster for high scoring honors, rifling two "fg's," and seven out of eight free shots. Zubkowsky was effective rattling eight points.

With the exception of faulty passing in spots, the local attack showed improvement.

Offensively, N. C. was terrific, meshing 13 out of 34 shots for an incredible mark of better than 38 per cent. From the free throw line, the 'Canes connect 14 out of 16.

Dellick was East's big man with a dozen points.

Friday, New Castle plays in Mercer county, battling Sharon.

The lineup:

New Castle	Fg.	F.	T.
B. Andrews, f	4	3-3	11
Jacobs, f	2	1-1	5
Zubkowsky, c	3	2-2	8
Burris, g	2	7-8	11
Razzano, g	0	1-1	1
Wimer, f	1	0-0	2
B. Jackson, f	1	0-1	2
	13	14-16	40

Non-scoring subs: Cowden, Thomas and Preston.

Youngstown East	Fg.	F.	T.
Chicko, f	2	1-3	5
Wright, f	0	0-0	12
Dellick, c	5	2-5	12
Vicarel, g	3	1-3	7
J. Andrews, g	0	0-0	0
Strola, f	1	0-0	2
Eusanio, g	0	2-2	2
Martin, f	0	0-1	0
Baldelli, g	1	0-1	2
Balestra, g	0	1-1	1
	12	7-16	31

Non-scoring sub: DeMario.

Score by periods:

N. C.	16	7	12	5—40
East	5	1	13	12—31

Officials: Boring, Rugh.

Second Half Rally Wins For Shenango

Hard pressed throughout the opening half, Shenango Township High rallied in the final 16 minutes to subdue Evans City High, 27-20, Tuesday in Evans City.

The locals trailed 9-7 at intermission time.

Adamczyk and Tanner were defensive stars while Buly's ball handling played an important role in the drive. Marburger starred for the losers.

Friday, Union plays at Shenango.

The lineup:

Shenango:	Fg.	F.	TP
Tanner, f	1	1	3
Buly, f	3	0	6
F. Adamczyk, c	3	0	6
Gill, g	1	0	2
Kalajainen, g	2	0	4
Pastrick	3	0	6
Totals	13	1	27

Non-scoring sub: McCreary.

Evans City:	Fg.	F.	TP
Marburger, f	5	0	10
Moore, f	0	0	0
Goehring, c	1	0	2
Sarver, g	0	0	0
Manerino, g	0	1	1
Luntz	1	0	2
Fisher	2	1	5
Totals	9	2	20

Non-scoring subs: Mickley, Purvis, Carey

Sports Ramblings

What's new in sports today ?

Unless the transportation enigma can be unriddled, there is a possibility that a couple of Section 20 schools may suspend basketball. This development came to light as a result of interviews staged within the past few days.

Union Township high officials admitted that they're on the fence. Shenango Township high, too, seems to be perched along side the Scotland Lane school. Remaining members of the loop, quite naturally, are in the same predicament.

Moguls throughout the state have been told to "carry on." The bigwigs, however, failed to explain how. If representatives of the PIAA and WPIAL can't unravel the travel bugaboo, why don't they say so and let the schools decide whether or not to "carry on."

School heads have been led to believe, since way back in August, that the solution would be provided. The gasoline ban and ODT order are realities now. As yet, the swivel chair guys haven't replied. One way or the other let's have it, do we or don't we.

One of the nicest fellows I've ever known, Eddie "Gumbert" Yerage, visited the desk. The U. S. Marine gunner, who has seen action somewhere in the Pacific, was granted a furlough due to the seriousness of his father's condition.

The local athlete, who has delarded from 278 to 205, beamed with confidence as he related as much as he could about the current conflict. "The Japs and Germans got a head start on us. But now, we are running neck and neck. It's going to be too bad from here in," the tall south sider asserted with determination written in his eyes.

Nick Lucas, of the U. S. Navy, is home on furlough. An ex-member of the St. George quint of the church loop, Lucas learned that his mates were scheduled to play Monday night. He hustled to the Y., hopped into cage raiment and got into the tussle. He fired four field goals!

. . "Bill" Busic, ex-Navy grid star, is missing in action . . . Long Island has dropped only three of 152 games played on its home court. Two of the setbacks were posted by Geneva college!

Because "Sugar" Robinson rates Henry Armstrong as his idol, I doubt if the pair will ever meet in the ring. That's a break for ex-Hammerin' Hen . . . The Brownies must be up in the bucks. They reportedly offered Branch Rickey $30,000 if he'd head the club . . . Are you buying your share of stamps and bonds?

N. C. Reserves Defeated, 28-19

Localites Start Clicking Late In Fray; Knight 'Cane Top Scorer

Unable to click until it was too late, New Castle high's reserves suffered their first setback, losing to Youngstown East's seconds, 28-19, last night on Washington floor.

The visitors maintained a lead throughout. At the half, the Ohioans led 12-7. In the third, the locals were blanked and trailed 20-7.

Knight, Jackson, Reed and Lewis led the 'Cane attack. Sertich and McKenna starred for the winners.

The lineup:

N. C. Reserves	Fg.	F.	Tp.
Jackson, f	2	0	4
Orend, f	1	0	2
Reed, c	1	2	4
Tedesko, g	0	0	0
Lewis, g	2	0	4
Knight	2	1	5
	8	3	19

Non-scoring subs — Wasilewski, Brothers, Liebendorfer, Lutz.

Youngstown East	Fg.	F.	Tp.
Sertich, f	3	1	7
Turner, f	1	0	2
Brickman, c	0	3	3
Fabian, g	1	0	2
McKenna, g	3	1	7
Right	1	0	2
Strola	1	1	3
Crowley	1	0	2
	11	6	28

Non-scoring subs—Hardin and Leonard.

Referee—Art Alexander.

Local Riflers Shoot Tonight At Cathedral

New Castle Rifle club shoots its first match of the Interstate League tonight at 7:30 at The Cathedral range.

All shooters are urged to be present so that they may be registered for the coming season.

At present, the local riflers are nestled in second place in the Penn-Ohio loop.

Church Cage Loop

GAMES TONIGHT

St. George vs. Croton, 7:45.
First Presbyterians vs. Third U. P., 8:45.
Wesley vs. Epworths, 9:45

Bessemer Larrups Lowellville Quint

Red And Black Tossers Pile Up 40-30 Edge On Home Court Tuesday

In a fast setto played at Bessemer last night, Bessemer high pinned up a 40-30 triumph over Lowellville high.

The neighboring rivals battled fiercely throughout especially in the first half when the host club led, 17-14.

Kresevich and Grubisa starred for the winners, pumping in 23 points. Cappola and Delisia featured for the losers.

In the prelim, Bessemer's Reserves copped a 41-17 decision over the Lowellville Reserves.

The lineup:

Bessemer	Fg.	F.	T.
Kresevich, f	7	1	15
List, f	2	1	5
Tasola, c	0	1	1
Grubisa, g	4	0	8
Novad, g	3	1	7
Ash	1	0	2
Hardesty	1	0	2
	18	4	40

Non-scoring subs: Johnson.

Lowellville	Fg.	F.	T.
Finamore, f	3	1	7
Pallozzi, f	1	5	7
Cappola, c	4	0	8
Delisia, g	4	0	8
Jones, g	0	0	0
	12	6	30

Non-scoring subs: Derenzo, Florentino and Nock.

Referee: Burry.

OLD TIME CHAMP

GARDEN CITY, N. Y.—Charles H. Mayo Sr. signed as manager and golf professional at the Cherry Valley club. With George Duncan, he held the world two-man team championship 30 years ago.

Zivic Whips Notch; Russ Baxter Winner

Fritzie Uses Every Trick In Book To Get Nod; Brown Is Kayoed

(International News Service)

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 16.—Fritzie Zivic, one-time welterweight champion, today reigned as undisputed "king" of the welters in this district after stopping the persistent challenge of his former stablemate, Carmen Notch, in a 10-round bout last night.

Although Fritzie won the unanimous decision of the judges, many of the partisan crowd of 5,000 gave Notch a chance to win the slug fest as late as the tenth round. The former champ needed every trick in the book—and he knows them all—to top Notch.

The two boxers mugged, wrestled, spun and tugged for round after round, throwing away most of the rules to the delight of the crowd which paid better than $14,000 to see the match. The fight, billed as a "grudge battle," lived up to predictions.

At the end it was Fritzie's experience which made the difference and gave him the judges' nod.

In the semi-final bout, an eight-rounder, the one-time brilliant light heavyweight that was Mose Brown caved in before the flailing fists of Curtis Sheppard, a local trial horse, sinking to the canvas after 44 seconds of the final round.

In another preliminary, a four-round affair, Russ Baxter, 154, of New Castle, won a decision over Irish Jackie Burke, 156. Burke was making his pro debut.

RARELY DISAPPOINTED

When Clint Castleberry, Georgia Tech freshman, fails to punt 55 yards, it is said his coach, Bill Alexander, is disappointed. The kid is one of the best backs to ever attend that school.

Cage Scores

SCHOLASTIC

New Castle 40, Ygstwn. East 31.
Wampum 46, Freedom 31.
N. Wilmington 44, Mercer 14.
Shenango 27, Evans City 20.
Bessemer 40, Lowellville 30.
Ygstwn. E. Res. 28, N. C. Reserves 19.

COLLEGIATE

Allegheny 45, Westminster 43.
St. Joseph's 45, Oklahoma A. M. 39.
Temple 35, Brigham Young 32.

PENNSY NOVEMBER BOUNTIES $3,447.00

(International News Service)

HARRISBURG, Dec. 16.—The State Game Commission reported today that bounties paid in November for gray foxes, weasels and goshawks totaled $3447.

The 693 claims filed during the month were for 558 weasels, 789 gray foxes and six goshawks, the commission disclosed.

House Loop Pilots Will Meet Tonight

Captains of various members of the House Basketball league will gather in the Y. M. C. A. to further plans for the season.

James Abraham, John Vargo, Leo Ryglinski and Bill Patton are urged to be present.

The loop will operate on Monday and Wednesday evenings, starting play on Monday, December 21, "Bill" Winter announced.

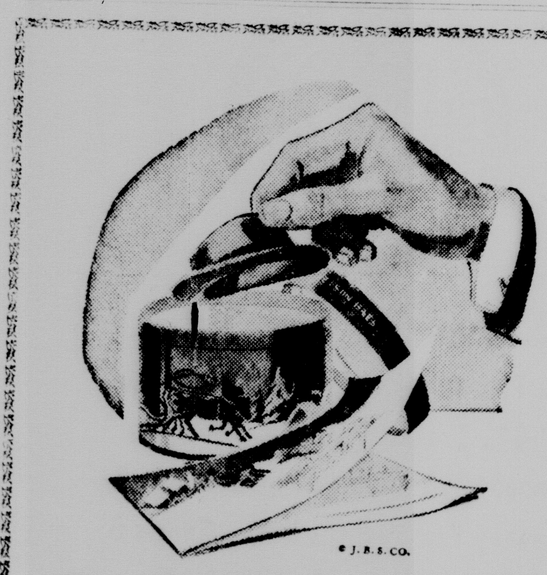
All members of the senior division are eligible to participate, provided they are not playing on any of the church loop quints.

CASTLEBERRY O. K.

(International News Service)

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 16.—Georgia Tech's Yellow Jackets made a good showing on offense but were weak on defense as they went through the first hard scrimmage of their preparations for the Cotton Bowl game against Texas. Clint Castleberry, freshman ace, today apparently had recovered from a knee injury and was in great form.





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May Ask Majors To Train Nearer Home Next Spring

Further Travel Ban Foreseen; No Changes Made By Several Clubs

(International News Service)

CHICAGO, Dec. 16.—Possibility that major league baseball teams will have to curtail their spring training programs still further was seen today in information received by Will Harridge, president of the American League.

Clark Griffith, president of the Washington Senators, told Harridge he had consulted with Joseph B Eastman, director of defense transportation, and that while Eastman was not ready to make definite suggestions at this time, there appeared to be a likelihood that the big league clubs would be asked eventually to train closer to home.

If this is found necessary in the interest of relieving the railroads still further of the burden of civilian travel, it might mean that the clubs which now train at distant points, as in California, Florida and Texas, would have to abandon these spots for camps nearer home.

Harry Grabiner, vice president of the Chicago White Sox, and James T. Gallagher, general manager of the Chicago Cubs, said today they had not made any change in their plans to train in California, although they had hoped much mileage from their original schedule of training trips.

They do not plan to go into training until the first or second week of March and they believe there will be ample time to select other training camps at the February meetings if this is necessary.

HERE AND THERE IN SPORTS LAND

Indications point to a big surge in athletics here next spring and summer to provide recreation for soldiers who will be stationed at Transfer. Just when troops will begin moving into the camp, now under construction, and how many will be located there, is unknown. However, plans for recreation already have been launched and when Colonel Cherrington, camp commandant, and P. J. Malholchik of the federal security agency met with a group of citizens here yesterday they were assured of a wholehearted response from this city. The group, headed by Drs. C. C. Green and G. S. Bennett, represented practically all indoor and outdoor recreation and athletic bodies in the city. The colonel having been assured of co-operation, the heads of the committee now will expand the committee and plans will be formed to provide soldiers with wholesome recreation whenever they visit New Castle.

Russell Baxter, local middleweight, decisioned Jackie Burke of Brownsville in four rounds last night in the Pittsburgh Gardens. It was Baxter's first fight in several months.

Nate Bolden of Chicago and Anton (The Greek) Christoforidis will meet next Tuesday. A gash above one of Anton's eyes caused a postponement from last night.

Frankie Sinkwich, for two years a member of the All-America football team, has been voted No. 1 male athlete of 1942. He polled 94 points in a poll conducted by the A. P. He is a Youngstown lad and was a Georgia Bulldog.

Frank Smith, Crafton, has been elected captain of Wooster college gridders...Murray Warmath, Mississippi line coach, will help Coach Johnny Barnhill train the Tennessee line for the game with Tulsa in the Sugar bowl New Year's Day.

National league official records show Mort Cooper of the Cards the outstanding 1942 hurler. He had an earned run average of 1.77, the lowest in the senior circuit in years, started the most games, won the most games and had the most shutouts.

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FAIR OR FOUL

By LAWTON CARVER

INS Sports Editor

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—For the first time since Barney Ross relinquished the lightweight title in 1935, that division currently is in a state of befuddlement that threatens to improve momentarily into utter chaos. However, out of all such situations there must come some good even when things look darkest, and by this time next year we may have a couple of dozen lightweight champions, instead of the prescribed one. That would be unique and interesting. And if the New York Commission has its way some of them may be cute little shavers only four or five years old.

Age Is Lowered

Our commission has decided on the winner of Friday night's Beau Jack-Tippy Larkin bout as champion and has set forth the suggestion that the new age limit for boxers should be lowered to 16. If they want the Beau Jack-Larkin winner that will be all right, except that meantime the N. B. A. is making plans for a tournament whose survivor will be recognized by the N. B. A.

As for that 16-year-old minimum, the best that can be said about that is it seems enough boxers windup on their heels as it is without letting them get an earlier start in that direction. If they are going to make it 16, they might as well go all the way and waive all age regulations and let them start as soon as they know enough to take a swipe at somebody with the milk bottle.

Anyhow, we are about to have some champions to head up the lightweight division as successors to Sammy Angott, and one guess is about as good as another as to who they will be or in what quantities. Nearly everybody who has a fighter able to starve himself down to or stuff himself up to the neighborhood of 135 pounds has filed claims for a share.

Besides Beau Jack and Larkin, one of whom will be crowned champion by the New York Commission Friday night, there are 13 lightweights at large with designs on the title one way or another. Four of them—Cleo Shans, Allie Stolz, Terry Young and Roman Alvarez—have announced that they will not take part in eliminations, but that doesn't mean they won't attempt to get in on the title shuffle.

They merely plan to avoid the annoyance of posting $1,000 forfeits and of whipping their way through the rest of the contenders who are Joey Peralta, Chester Rico, Slugger White, Juan Zurita, Carmine Fatta, Willie Joyce, Bob Montgomery, Maxie Shapiro and Ritchie Lemos.

Jack Seems Tops

Of all these Beau Jack may be the best. He will have his chance to prove it again Friday night. He leaped into the No. 1 spot by defeating Stolz, who previously had been whipped by Angott, making him the most elimination lightweight currently in the business. That is one of the reasons for his staying out of the tournament, no doubt. If you can't beat two of them there is no reason to assume you can do it to a whole roomful.

Next to Jack or Larkin, as the case may be, one of the best of the boys seems to be this Zurita, who came from California, and plans to get into the middle of the tournament if possible. Managed by the Veteran George Parnassus, Zurita has been going better than good and seeks only a chance to show what he's got in tournament company.

He or whichever ones survives there is supposed to meet the Beau Jack-Larkin winner eventully to clear up the muddle and establish one bonafide title holder, but it seldom works out that way. For a chance we probably will have at least two champs, maybe more.

Mort, Series Flop, Proves Top Hurler In National League

Cooper Compiles Earned Run Average Of 1.77; Other Diamond Dust

By JACK MAHON

(International News Service)

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—The biggest flop in the world series, Morton Cooper of the St. Louis Cardinals was revealed today as the best pitcher in the National League in 1942! Cooper started 35 games, more than any other twirler and compiled an earned run average of 1.77 per game, the lowest since the great Carl Hubbell finished the '33 season with a mark of 1.66.

Mort won the most games, 22 and pitched the most shutouts 10 to equal a record set by King Carl in '33. All this led to a terrific buildup for Mr. Mort in the world series. He started two games—and was knocked out of the box in both!

The world champion Cards swept both top honors, the National League averages released today also revealed their rookie of the year, Johnny Beazley leading the loop with 21 victories and 6 defeats for a league-leading percentage of .778 and era of 2.13 runs per game!

Cooper finished second in the percentage department with 22 wins and 7 defeats for a .759 percentage. Curtis B. (Curt) Davis of the Brooklyn Dodgers was third in earned run efficiency with an average of 2.36 tallies per game though he could finish no better than fifth in games won and lost.

Johnny Vander Meer of the Reds (2.43) and Bill Lohrman of the Giants (2.47) were the next two most effective hurlers in the earned run Dept. with the latter finishing third in games won and lost. Vandy ranked No. 7 on the latter list.

Wyatt Is Fourth

Whitlow Wyatt won 19 and lost 7 to finish fourth in that group with a mark of .731 but was no better than eleventh in the era list.

A new league record was set during the year when Ace Adams of the Giants appeared in 61 games, displacing the old mark of 56 established by that Giant of yesteryear, Christy Mathewson, and equalled by Hugh Mulcahy of the Phillies in '37. In finishing 49 of them, the Ace broke Dick Coffman's mark of 35 set in 1938. In addition he failed to complete a single nine inning game, surpassing a record of 53 appearances of a similar nature established by Clyde Shoun of the Cards in 1939.

Miscellaneous diamond dust about your favorite pitchers:

Jim Tobin, Boston, pitched the most complete games, 28; most innings 288; lost most games, 21; faced most batsmen, 1224; allowed most runs 145 and most earned runs, 127. . . Claude Passeau of the Cubs allowed the most hits, 284. . . Reuben F. Melton of the Phils gave the most bases on balls, 114 and made the most wild pitches, 8 . . . Larry French of the Dodgers had the longest winning streak, 10 games and Melton, the longest losing streak, 7 games . . . . Vandermeer struck out the most batsmen 186. . . . Chicago and Cincinnati, by using 6 pitchers apiece in the first game of a double-header Aug. 8, established a new record for hurlers working in a single contest. The old mark was 11.

DEGREE BY MAIL

(International News Service)

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Dec. 16.—Larry Sullivan, senior left tackle on the Notre Dame football squad, was on his way today to report for officer training in the Marine Corps Reserve at Parris Island, S. C. Sullivan, who hails from Brockton Mass., won his monogram during the last football season. He will be unable to attend commencement exercises Sunday, but his degree will be mailed him.

Denver Is AAU Cage Tournament Site March 14-20

Amateur Athletic Union Program For Next Year Is Announced Today

(International News Service)

CHICAGO, Dec. 16.—The 1943 program of competitive athletics as adopted by delegates of the 54th annual convention of the Amateur Athletic Union compares favorably with the 1942 calendar.

In the closing session the National A.A.U. indoor track and field meet was awarded to New York in Madison Square Garden February 28, but the site of the men's outdoor meet was not selected. Columbus, O., and New York have submitted bids for the latter event.

Among the major sports events on the 1943 program were senior cross-country, Baltimore, Md., in November; women's track and field, Cleveland, in July; gymnastics, New York, in May; boxing, Boston, in April; outdoor men's and women's swimming, Indianapolis or Columbus, O., in August; men's basketball, Denver, March 14-20; women's basketball, probably St. Joseph, Mo., in March; handball, senior four wall, San Francisco, in May; senior one wall, New York, junior, Milwaukee, and bob-sledding, Lake Placid, N. Y., Feb. 21-22.

Committees failed to select sites for wrestling, ice hockey, senior weight lifting, volleyball and codeball.

Sites for long distances runs included 15 and 25 kilometer, Boston; 20 kilometer, Endicott, N. Y.; 30 kilometer, San Francisco; and marathon, Yonkers, N. Y.

Physical Fitness Accepted

The convention accepted the physical fitness program outlined by Daniel J. Ferris, New York, secretary-treasurer, which called for participation of all American men and boys from 15 through 50 in a series of competitive sports.

Lawrence Di Benedetto, New Orleans, was re-elected A.A.U. president. Other officers elected were James Roache, New Haven, Conn., first vice president; L. N. Bloom, Cleveland, second vice president; Fred L. Steers, Chicago, third vice president, and Willard H. Greim, Denver, fourth vice president. The terms of Ferris and Lyman Bingham, Chicago, assistant to the president, do not expire until 1944.

The 1943 convention will be announced later by the A.A.U. executive committee. Among the cities which have offered bids for the convention are Columbus, St. Louis and Pittsburgh.

SPORT CAPSULES

SAYLES TO GIANTS

The Giants announced yesterday that they purchased William Sayles, a right-handed pitcher, from Louisville. It is a conditional purchase, dependent upon Sayle's ability to make the grade. He won eleven and lost twelve last season.

WAKEFIELD HITTER

Dick Wakefield, the Detroit Tigers' $52,000 outfield prospect with Beaumont in 1942, collected three homers, two doubles, 16 total bases and batted in six runs in a night game.

GETS PROMOTION

Harvey Jablonsky, assistant Army football coach last fall and an All-American lineman a few years ago, has been promoted from captain to major.

RATHER ODD

The flights of two pintail ducks from the United States to the Canadian Arctic, more than 2,000 miles, has been revealed by bird-banding recovery records.

Jill-of-All-Sports



Is there anything this young lady can't do? Nope, she does 'em all. She's a star dancer, world's champion drum majorette, topnotch skater and plays golf, tennis and basketball. Oh, yes, she's a good swimmer and also an outstanding bowler. Wonder if she can play cricket? She is Betty Atkinson, ice revue star.

Thompson Willing To Buy Pro Stars

Rich Alexis Says He'd Purchase 21 Gridders "Without Quibbling"

(International News Service)

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 16.—Alexis Thompson, youthful owner of the Philadelphia Eagles, today put his folding money on the line and offered to purchase, "without quibbling," 21 of the outstanding professional football players throughout the country.

"We want to keep faith with the loyal Philadelphia football fans and make an effort to give them the best team in the league," the army corporal explained before the National Professional Football League meeting in Washington.

"We are willing to buy any of the following National Football League players," he declared, "and we will not quibble about the expense. Owners can name their own price for any of the following they are willing to part with.

"Sid Luckman, Ray McLean, Frank Maznicki, Bulldog Turner, Pug Manders, Perry Schwartz, Frank "Bruiser" Kinard, Merle Hapes, Bill Edwards, Wee Willie Wilkin, Bob Masterson, Dick Farman, Vincent Banonis, Ted Fritsch, Ray Bray, Joe Stydahar, Hampton Pool, Chuck Cherundolo, Jack Sanders, Curt Sandig, and Jack Jacobs."

Thompson frankly admitted that he was willing to make the purchases for financial reasons, explaining:

"I have always felt that if we could give Philadelphia a winning team, the fans would really go to town for us, and we could make some dough, which, after all, is why we got into this business in the first place."

Flaherty Remains To Pilot Champs

Granted Furlough To Prepare Redskins For Coming Benefit Clash

(International News Service)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Lieut Ray Flaherty, coach of the Washington Redskins is on a two-weeks' furlough from the navy to prepare his pro football champions for their meeting with the pro All-Stars Dec. 27 at Philadelphia.

Flaherty was to have reported to Hollywood, Fla., for duty in Comdr. Gene Tunney's physical fitness program, but a postponement was made at the behest of Admiral S Land, chairman of the Maritime Commission. The Philadelphia game will be played for the genefit of the United Seamen's Service.

Five members of the Redskin team, Dick Todd, Cecil Hare, Ed Justice, George Watts and Ed Beinor, are scheduled for induction into the services before the game, but an effort will be made to postpone their time of reporting so that they may take part in the contest.

Most of the Redskins left town for their homes today for a rest. They will arrive in Philadelphia Dec. 23 for four days of practice before meeting the All-Stars who started working out in Shibe Park yesterday.

ADDS TWO COACHES

(International News Service)

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 16.—John Barnhill, Tennessee's head coach, today added Murray Warmath, Mississippi State coach, and Herman Hickman, former Tennessee All-American and now line coach at North Carolina State, to his coaching staff to help prepare the Vols for their Sugar Bowl game with Tulsa university.

WORTHY ORGANIZATION

The Wisconsin Raccoon and Fox Hunters Association, numbering nearly 1,500 members, releases 250 raccoons annually. Organized in 1937, the organization has paid more than $5,000 in prizes to winners of field trials, and has spent more than $10,000 in purchasing, maintaining and rearing raccoons for distribution.

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Latest Report In Bond Drive Is $351,627.00

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 16.—Ellwood City's Victory Loan Fund is taking on more momentum every day, and the latest figure which was submitted this morning by Chairman R. Charles Stiefel was $351,672. With half of the month gone, a total of $188,300 is still needed for Ellwood City to reach the quota given by the United States Treasury Department. A group of men and women Victory Loan salespeople will approach business men, professional men and all other who are not under a payroll deduction plan within the next few days and they will be able to intelligently tell an individual which type of War Bond offered by the government will best suit their needs. Chairman R. C. Stiefel stated today that it isn't patriotic emotions that the bonds are sold on, but instead he feels the United States government has a splendid investment program for every type of Ellwood City pocketbook.

Descriptive literature on the various types of bonds may be had for the asking at the Peoples National Bank or Federal Savings & Loan.

Tuesday Night Social Affairs

Many Enjoyable Dinners And Christmas Gift Exchanges Held By Clubs

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 16.—Among the many enjoyable meetings of Tuesday were:

M. and M. Club

Mrs. William Henderson of Orchard avenue was a gracious hostess to members of the M. and M. club who met for a Christmas dinner. She was assisted in serving by her daughters, Mrs. Richard Wilson and Mrs. Jack Swartz.

Attractive prizes went to Mrs. Frank Relph and Mrs. Frank Gillespie for 500, and Mrs. Bertha Gordon and Mrs. Edward Mallary for bingo.

Another meeting will be on Thursday, January 28, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Haswell, Line avenue.

All American Club

A delectable chicken dinner and gift exchange featured the All American club Christmas party held last night at the home of Mrs. Mary Hill, Hazel avenue. Aiding the hostess were Mrs. Thomas Dowswell, Mrs. Anna Franz and Mrs. Sadie McMurdo.

Mrs. Dowswell won the high prize for bingo.

Another meeting will be held in two weeks at the home of Mrs. Clarence Wiley, Wiley Hill.

D. B. Club

Amidst lovely decorations of pine and poinsettias, members of the D. B. club were entertained at an enjoyable dinner last evening at the home of Mrs. Calvin Cole, California avenue. Attractive gifts were exchanged.

Contract bridge was the pleasant diversion with the appropriate awards going to Mrs. George Feerst and Mrs. Clifford Johnson.

On Thursday, January 7, the club will be received at the home of Mrs. William Morrow, Clover avenue.

Victory Belles Club

Mrs. Jack Jordan was welcomed as a new member of the Victory Belles club when members were entertained at the home of Miss Kathleen Menelece, Spring avenue.

The attractive high prize for cards went to Mrs. Joanne Zeigler. The hostess was aided by Mrs. Jordan in serving a tempting lunch.

Hostess for the next meeting in two weeks will be Mrs. Robert Neininger, Elliport.

Parlette Club

Miss Peggy Knight opened her home on Park avenue to associates of the Parlette club with her sister Martha being a guest.

After several hours of cards, the high awards went to Mrs. Howard Menold and Mrs. Jack Zeigler. Tempting refreshments were served before members departed to meet in one month at the Menold home, Ewing Park.

P. O. J. Club

The Rolling Hills home of Mrs. Clifford Vogler was the meeting place for members of the P. O. J. club.

Mrs. Samuel Blatchford and Mrs. Jack Snare won the nice high awards for cards. Mrs. Gerald Scheidemantle was a guest and helped serve seasonable refreshments.

Next meeting will be held in two weeks at the home of Mrs. Carlton Wilson, Line avenue.

METHODIST WOMEN

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 16.—The Women's Society of Christian Service will meet on Thursday night at 6 o'clock for a tureen dinner at the First Methodist church. The Woman's club sextette under the direction of Mrs. Charles Relph will sing carols and Mrs. Elmer Greenham will give the Christmas story.

Neumans Plan Golden Wedding

Mr. And Mrs. Adolph Neuman To Observe Memoriable Event Friday At Home

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 16.—Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Neuman, of the Ellwood City-New Brighton road, are anticipating a pleasant event on Friday, Dec. 18, when they will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary. Friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend an open house reception from two until four and from seven until 10 o'clock.

Mr. Neuman, who is 76 years old, is in the best of health. He is the youngest son of a family of 10 children born to the late Phillip and Elizabeth Neuman. Of this large family only two are living in addition to Mr. Neuman, being William and John Neuman, of Wheeling, W. Va.

Mrs. Neuman, 73, the daughter of the late John B. and Louisa Geisler Diegmiller, is also one of a family of 10 children. She has two sisters living, Mrs. Mary Becker, of Wheeling, and Mrs. Barbara Kiggins, of Wade, O.

The Neumans were united in marriage on December 18, 1892, at Hohman, O. They were attended by Mrs. Matilda Hoppel, a sister of Mrs. Neuman, and George Forner, a friend. To this union were born three children, Frank and Emery Neuman, of this city, and Mrs. Mildred Weaver, of near Pittsburgh. They have three grandsons and four granddaugthers.

The first 25 years of their married life Mr. and Mrs. Neuman spent in Matamoras, O. They moved to this city in 1917, and at that time Mr. Neuman was employed by the National Tube company.

For 10 years he was janitor of the First Methodist church, of which he is an active and faithful member. Mrs. Neuman is a faithful member of St. Agatha's Catholic church, and attended regularly until her health prevented. She is also a member of the Women's Benefit association.

They have many friends who join in wishing them continued health and happiness.

P. H. C. Juniors Name Officers

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 16—An election of officers took place at the Junior P. H. C. Lodge meeting at the bank hall last night, and resulted:

Past president, Gloria Gallagher; president, Gene McDonald; vice president, Gerald Book; guardian, Jack White; chaplain, Maxine Hudspath; secretary, Donald White; treasurer, Donna McCronich; guide, Ethel Hudspath; companion, John Bonzo; ushers, Jean Simpson and Dorothy Schaperelli; and musician, Lois McDanel.

A Christmas party will be held on Tuesday afternoon, December 29, at 2 o'clock. There will be an exchange, program and refreshments.

The Senior P. H. C. Lodge met for a Christmas party at 8 o'clock with Mrs. Suanne Stevenson in charge. After a social hour, Mrs. Ida Duncan and committee served refreshments.

Brighton Pastor Fractures Leg

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 16—Of interest here is word that Rev. Joseph Vandervort, pastor of the New Brighton U. P. church, is confined at the Beaver Valley General hospital suffering from a broken leg received in a fall Monday night.

The injury, described as a "spiral" break, is above the ankle. Rev. Vandervort, who has spoken here many times, received the injury at Beaver where he had been ice skating. The clergyman, a skating enthusiast, had removed his skates after an evening on the ice, and was preparing to leave for home when he stepped into a snow-covered crevice and fell.

Frisco Auxiliary Elects Officers

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 16 — An election of officers featured the Frisco Firemen's Auxiliary meeting last night and resulted:

President, Mrs. Thressa Hall; secretary, Mrs. Albert Balzin; treasurer, Mrs. Edith Blinn. The retiring officers were given lovely gifts.

Forty members attended and preceding the meeting enjoyed a delectable chicken dinner served by Mrs. Albert Heinz and committee.

Attractive awards went to Mrs. Matilda Swick for bingo, and Mrs. Ben Anderson, for 500.

Ellwood Defeats Zelienople High

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 16 — In an exhibition game played last night at Zelienople, the Ellwood high school basketball team bested the home team by a 59 to 31 count.

The Ellwood Reserves also played and won by a 44 to 18 point margin.

On Friday night, the locals will play their first home game when Wampum comes to Lincoln gym. The Reserves will also play that night.

Marian F. Smith Is Speaker For Garden Members

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 16.—A most enjoyable Christmas party was held on Tuesday by the Garden Guild at the home of Mrs. Allen Crowe, Park avenue, with Mrs. Walter LeViere, Mrs. Preston Rollman and Mrs. William Ketterer as associate hostesses.

Marian Foster Smith, of Butler, was the speaker and delighted the group with her interpretation of Christmas legends, and concluded with two original poems, "My Version of a Christmas Rose" and "What Christmas Means to Each of Us in 1942".

The best arrangement award went to Mrs. W. D. Manning, who had a table exhibit. A gift exchange followed, with Mrs. Frank Krause sharing as a special guest. The hostesses served a refreshing lunch.

In January the Guild will meet at the LeViere home, in Rolling Hills.

Reports Given At Library Meet

Summary Of Twenty-Seven Years Given By Librarian, Mrs. Catherine Charles

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 16—At the December meeting of the Ellwood Public Library Board a most interesting summary of the Library statistics for a period of 27 years, or the time it has been in preparation except the present year, was submitted by the Librarian, Mrs. Catherine M. Charles.

The circulation for that period has been 2,095,348 with an average annual circulation of 76,194. Total expenditures for 27 years have been $235,474 with the average circulation cost per volume being the low rate of 11 cents and a fraction.

Books added in that time were 44,550 with 2,550 being removed leaving a net increase of 44,989. On December 31, 1914, there were 2,011 books in the Library and at the end of December 31, 1941, there were 25,000 books on hand.

The report for November of this year shows that there are now 25,000 volumes on hand, with the circulation for the month being 12,350.

Mrs. Charles reported that an anonymous memorial gift had been received by the library and with the money new books will be purchased and placed on the memorial shelf.

The board will be organized at the next meeting in January at which time E. J. Reinheimer will be welcomed as a new member.

Mildred Symbala Given Farewell

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 16.—Associate employees of the office of the United Tube company enjoyed a lovely Christmas party last evening at the home of Miss Clara King, Park avenue.

The event was also a farewell for Miss Mildred Symbala who will leave the first of the year for induction into the WAVES. By a treasure hunt, she was led to a lovely gift.

Gifts were exchanged and games featured with the attractive awards going to Miss Mary Henricks, Miss Mary Lon and Miss Rhea Meehan.

Delicious refreshments were served at two attractively arranged tables in the dining room by the hostess mother, Mrs. G. H. King aided by Mrs. H. V. Hessler. Dancing concluded the evening.

Gradale Welcomes Five New Members

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 16—Five new members, Mrs. Mary Jean Jones, Miss Phyllis Duncan, Mrs. Betty Lee Seaburn, Miss Helen Brenneman and Miss Harriet McWilley, were welcomed into the Gradale Sorority at the annual Christmas party held last night at the club rooms.

Miss Lois Wilson was in charge of the meeting and presented Mrs. Edie, whose dramatic group entertained beautifully with a Christmas play and carol singing. After gifts were exchanged, Miss Gertrude Cragle and committee served a refreshing lunch.

Tuesday, January 12, is the next meeting date.

BAPTIST CLASS AIDS ORPHANAGE

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 16—Members of the Married Couples class of the First Baptist church voted a Christmas gift of twenty dollars to the Baptist Orphanage in Pittsburgh last night when members gathered for a Christmas party at the church.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hough were special guests and the latter, who teaches the class, was presented with an attractive gift.

An informal social hour followed with appealing buffet refreshments being served by Mrs. Ray Conner and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hayden.

CLASS TWO

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 16.—Class Two of the Bell Memorial Presbyterian church will meet for a tureen supper on Friday night at 6 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Frank Gillespie, First avenue.

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Various Meetings Of Tuesday Night

Many Enjoyable Christmas Parties Held At Various Homes In Community

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 16.—Many enjoyable Christmas parties were held on Tuesday by church groups. Among them were:

Welcome Bible Class

Gathering at the First Presbyterian church, members of the Welcome Bible class enjoyed a delicious turkey dinner arranged by Mrs. F. C. Dodds, Mrs. J. D. Kirk, Mrs. Minnie Simpson, Mrs. S. A. Hartung, Mrs. Van Groder and Mrs. Joseph Moorhead.

Entertaining games were directed by Mrs. Thomas Haines and Mrs. John Callen after which the group was entertained with singing by a men's chorus.

Margaret Crain Guild

Mrs. Ray Conner was a pleasant hostess to members of the Margaret L. Crain Guild of the Baptist church at 1 o'clock dinner at her home, in Glen avenue. The afternoon was spent socially with gifts being exchanged.

Tuesday, January 26, a regular meeting will be held at the church.

Little Flower Club

Members of the Little Flower club entertained their families at a Christmas dinner last night at the St. Agatha Catholic church.

The group of fifty enjoyed a tempting dinner with Mrs. John Holtman and her daughter, Jean, being hostesses.

Awards of the evening went to Mrs. E. L. Alberth, Mrs. L. Ruhe, Mrs. Alberta and Mrs. Henry Guimienny, for bingo; and Mrs. Charles Crable, Father Paul and Mr. Stroebel for cards.

The next meeting will be on Tuesday, January 5, at the church.

Little Flower Club

An informal Christmas party was held by Little Flower club members last night at the B. V. M. church.

The evening was devoted to completing the packing of Christmas boxes for soldiers of the church.

Fr. Galliano announced a Communion for the entire group on Sunday morning at 8 o'clock. Plans were made to have a social at the church on January 17.

Providence Choir

Members of the choir of the Providence Baptist church and their families enjoyed a merry Christmas party last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Kramer, North Sewickley.

Carol singing and a gift exchange was featured with music being provided by E. C. Reed, of Beaver Falls.

Mrs. Kramer was aided in serving a refreshing lunch by Mrs. Paul Nye.

Pals Class

Twenty-five members of the Pals class of the Lilyville Church of God were welcomed last night at the home of Rev. and Mrs. L. A. Lightfritz, Zelienople.

The devotions were led by Marjorie Lutz and the meeting was in charge of Rev. Lightfritz with plans being made to buy a set of dishes for the church.

The serving of Christmas refreshments followed with the hostess being aided by Doris McQuiston. In January the class will meet with Elizabeth Pander, at Wurtemburg.

True Blue Class

Mrs. Warren Wilson opened her home, in Woodside avenue, last evening to members of the True Blue class of the Slippery Rock Presbyterian church.

Devotions were led by Mrs. George Wilson and the business was in charge of Mrs. Clair Friday. Games entertained the twelve attending after which the hostess and her aides, Mrs. Paul Moon and Miss Ella Wilson, served appropriate refreshments. Gifts were exchanged.

Future meetings will be held only occasionally on account of gas rationing.

Willing Workers

Twenty members and two guests, Miss Ann Frisnkorn and Miss Cora Cunningham, of the Willing Workers class of the Wurtemburg U. P. church were graciously entertained last night at the home of Mrs. Donald Hepler, Wurtemburg.

Devotions led by Mrs. Clifford Gibbons was followed by carol singing. Games were directed by Mrs. William Huber and Mrs. Loren Graham with the prize going to Mrs. Elmer McMunn. Gifts were exchanged and the teacher, Mrs. R. H. Kirk was presented with an assortment of attractive gifts.

Tasty refreshments were served by the hostess and her aides, Mrs. Lester Pander and Mrs. Clifford Gibbons, who will be hostess for the next meeting on January 19, at her Wurtemburg home.

HOSPITAL NOTES

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 16—Admitted: Ralph Wilson, 1078 Woodside avenue.

Discharged: Mrs. Carl Tillia and infant daughter, Wurtemburg; Mrs. Gerald Welsh and infant son, 614 First avenue, and Mrs. Charles Derrow, route 2.

Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Geniviva, 10 Fountain avenue, a son, on Tuesday.

Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Folino, 404 Wampum avenue, a son, on Tuesday.

Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Grossman, rear 742 Wampum avenue, a son, today.

Born: to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kostar, route 1, Wampum, a son, today.

Mrs. James Stewart, of New York City, is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mowery, Wayne avenue.

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FROM ME TO YOU

By MESEEALL

Just received a letter from an old school chum . . . he is now in the Solomon Isle region . . . Ensign Arthur Kohn . . . and a very odd thing has happened to this officer . . . those now under his command are the very same Seabees who trained here in New Castle last June. They are according to this card . . . still talking about the hospitality received while here training. Ensign Kohn has been on Guadalcanal since last September 8th, and just recently moved to Tulagi Isie for a breathing spell. When lads like that come back with victory in their pockets, we will then learn the truth of what actually happened in this war.

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The least that you and I can do here at home, until we are called into the service, is to buy Bonds and More Bonds . . . don't get tired of hearing about bonds . . . do you think the boys over there some place complain and lay down on the job because they are tired hearing shells whiz by . . . They certainly do get tired of hearing the reports of gunfire but they keep right on going . . . they go after they think they can't go another step . . . We too must not stop because we are tired . . . This is a war in which every person of this America must co-operate until victory is ours.

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The little queen is beginning to pick up her ears every time the delivery man comes down the street . . . Things seem to be happening right about her and yet she wonders what the pick up in excitement is about. Popcorn, large bowls, and after she goes to bed the little Elfs string it on cord to make an endless chain for the Christmas Tree. Each night before bed time the stocking on the fireplace questions is discussed with delight. "Santa Claus is a tough Old Guy" she says . . . wonder if she is just kidding? Any way you put it . . . Christmas is a beautiful time of year . . . so much fun can be had right in the home . . . there is no need for purchased "Good Cheer" . . . the man or woman who seeks that kind of cheer constantly must feel very lonesome at times.

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THINGS MEN LIKE

NEW RIFLE or shotgun for Christmas. Old gun taken as down payment. Westell's Store, 344 E. Washington. 10t2*—B

THINGS WOMEN LIKE

FOR WOMEN who like nice things, a Saratoga Silex coffee maker, bun warmers and cake cover sets. Firestone Stores, 23 N. Mill St. 1t—C

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53-piece set of Haviland, $49.50. Kirk-Hutton, 24 E. Wash. 1t—C

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OUR SPECIAL SALE of roller skates and ice skates will save you money on his gift at Gus', 106 Washington St. 1t—D

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FOR RENT—Cozy sleeping room for two gentleman with private bath, and telephone. Five minutes walk to town. Phone 3429-W. 11*—39

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished sleeping room, on bus line; close in. Phone 1590-R. 324 E. Wash. St. 9t2*—39

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Rooms For Housekeeping

EAST—2 rooms, furnished for housekeeping, sink, range, use of refrigerator. 838 Lutton. 11*—40

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MAHONINGTOWN—5 room apartment, good condition, $30.00. Adults only. C. Belle Tichborne, 3151. 11—43

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THREE-ROOM FLAT, 340½ Francis St.; gas and electric, private entrance, $10.00. R. D. McClure, 2101 Pennsylvania Ave. Phone 5339-J. 11*—44

READY JAN. 1—Four and 5-rooms, private bath, heat. Unfurnished. Reference required. Yearly lease, $55.00 month, includes all utilities and garage. Appointment, call 760-J. 9t2—43

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Business Places For Rent

FIREPROOF BUILDING — Suitable for small defense assembly plant. Two floors 50x150 feet. Steam heat. Ed. E. Marshall, L. S. & T. Bldg. Phone 306. 8t6—44

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NORTH—Modern 6-room house, furnished. Possession in few days. Write Box 834, care of News. 11*—46

5-ROOM bungalow for rent. Inquire E. T. Coryea, R. D. 5. 11*—46

TWO-ROOM HOUSE, on Cascade Blvd., water and electric, two acres garden, two large hen houses, $8.00. R. D. McClure, 2101 Pennsylvania Ave. Phone 5339-J. 11*—46

3-ROOM COTTAGE—Gas, electric, water, inside toilet, garden, fruit, and garage, ½ mile from city. Write Box 827, News. 8t3—46

Wanted To Rent Or Lease

WANTED—By young couple, both work, 2 or 3-rooms. C. Belle Tichborne, 3151. 8t5—47

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BUSINESS and dwelling property; E. Washington St. A real investment. Price $3500; easy terms. Harold Good. Phone 6178. 11*—48

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Farms For Sale

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We have a very excellent 68-acre farm for sale or trade for home in New Castle. Located—R. D. No. 4, Slippery Rock, Pa. New house, good outbuildings, excellent water, electric. Harold M. Leach, Temple Bldg., 267-J. Evenings 2306. 11—49

23-ACRES, 6-rooms; electric, cellar, heater, good water in house, barn, some fruit, land is underlaid with coal, 4 miles from city. Only $3500. Call Teece, 3077. 11—49

3-ACRES, 8-rooms; modern, hardwood floored attic, cement cellar, 4 rooms and bath on second floor, nice large glassed-in porch. See this for only $3800. Call Teece, 3077. 11—49

10-ACRES with good 4-room house, close to city. Only $1000; $200 cash. Phone 712. 11*—49

BETWEEN VOLANT and Plaingrove, 50 acres, 8 rooms, water pump, good heater, timber. Pritchard Agency, phone 3212. 11—49

Houses For Sale

IMMEDIATE Possession, 7-roomed dwelling, finished attic; Highland Ave. Priced to sell. Sonntag, 3293. 11*—50

BROOKLYN AVE.—Five rooms, bath, furnace, large lot, $3000. Harold M. Leach, Temple Bldg., 267-J. Evenings 2306. 11—50

NEAR CITY, 9-room, center hall, Colonial, double garage, 1½-acres land, $6500. Gilliland, L. S. & T. Bldg. Phone 273-J. 11—50

NORTH—Six rooms, modern, hardwood floors, downstairs, garage. Priced for quick sale, $4500. Ramsey's, 4180. Evenings, DeLace Cole, 2323. 11*—50

WANTED—Properties to sell; city or suburban. Harold Good Real Estate, L. S. & T. Bldg. Phone 6178. 11*—54

7-ROOMS, modern, good lot, paved street. A good investment property, $2300. Call Teece, 3077. 11—50

BARGAIN—Mahoningtown, W. Clayton St., 7-rooms, oak finish, furnace, bath, good basement. Owners sacrifice. Sonntag, 3293, 2087-J. Johnson Bldg. 11*—50

4-ROOM, one floor, heated and bath, $2500; East Side, Gilliland, L. S. & T. Bldg. Phone 2073-J. 11—50

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5-ROOM HOUSE, living room type, first floor finished in hardwood, double garage, good North Side location, $5500. Gilliland, L. S. & T. Bldg. Phone 2073-J. 11—50

NESHANNOCK Avenue—Apartment house, 9-rooms; suitable for apartments. Attractive price for quick sale. Pritchard Agency, Phone 3212. 11—50

EAST SIDE—Duplex, first floor, now vacant. Second floor rented. Nice income property or home. Phone 4629, after 6 P. M., 422-J. 10t2*—50

HIGHLAND AVE.—7 roomed home, finished attic with sink, hardwood finish, level lot. Immediate possession. Sonntag, 3293, 2087-J. Johnson Bldg. 11—50

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

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LARGE modern house, close in, on North Hill. Will sacrifice for quick sale. 1880-M. 11*—50

NORTH SIDE—Modern brick, with corner lot, hot water heat. J. Clyde Gilfillan, 889. 9t5—50

NESHANNOCK Township, Katherine street; new 3-room home with large unfurnished second floor. J. Clyde Gilfillan, 889. 9t5—50

WANTING TO BUY, rent, sell or trade your home. C. Belle Tichborne, 3151, 1210 Delaware. 8t6—50

WEST SIDE—6 room modern home, nice quiet street. J. Clyde Gilfillan, 889. 9t5—50

Wanted—Real Estate

CASH FOR FARM—Have cash buyers for poultry, dairy and livestock farms. Hurry! West's Farm Agency, Pittsburgh's largest broker, 723 Washington Rd., Pittsburgh, (16) Pa. 11—54

AUCTION SALES

FARMERS! Highest prices received at the Auction Sales, Tuesday—Wampum, Thursday—Pulaski. A. Phillip, mgr. 7t6*—55

LEGAL NOTICES

An Ordinance

An Ordinance vacating Pottery Street in the Sixth Ward for its whole length; providing for the assessment of all damages arising out of the vacation of said street and for the payment of the same by the Shenango Pottery Company.

WHEREAS by an Ordinance adopted July 26th, 1929, a certain street known as Pottery Street was laid out, located, ordained and opened in the Sixth Ward in substitution for a part of McCleary Avenue that was vacated by the said Ordinance, so as to provide a means of access from McCleary Avenue to the Shenango River at the rear of certain lots fronting on the East side of Sennett street; and

WHEREAS said Pottery Street has never been extensively used and is used now solely for the purpose of furnishing access to the rear of the said lots fronting on the East side of Sennett Street, which is a solely private use and could be furnished as well by a 12 foot alley at the rear of said lots, and

WHEREAS the said Pottery Street, being kept open and maintained as a public street, seriously interferes with the use of adjacent lands belonging to the Shenango Pottery and their development for industry, which industrial development is of supreme importance to the welfare of the City of New Castle, and

WHEREAS the Shenango Pottery Company has agreed in consideration that the said Pottery Street shall be vacated and forever closed, that it will dedicate to public use a 12 foot alley at the rear of the lots fronting on Sennett Street for a distance of 245 feet, more or less, North of the North side of McCleary Avenue, and from thence parallel to McCleary Avenue 20 feet wide to a 12 foot alley already dedicated and extending Northwardly, parallel to and 150 feet East from the East line of Sennett Street; and that it, the Shenango Pottery Company will pay all damages which may be assessed or charged against the City of New Castle for and on account of said vacation of Pottery Street.

SECTION 1. NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the Council of the City of New Castle that Pottery Street as heretofore located, ordained and opened in the Sixth Ward be and the same is hereby vacated and closed for its whole width and length.

SECTION 2. That any and all damages which may be suffered by any property owner for, because or on account of the vacation and closing of the said street shall and may be assessed by a Board of Viewers, as provided for by Act of Assembly in such cases, upon petition of any property owner who shall or may feel himself aggrieved or damaged.

SECTION 3. That all damages so assessed shall be paid by the City and immediately collected from the Shenango Pottery Company.

State of Pennsylvania, County of Lawrence, City of New Castle, SS:

I, C. Ed. Brown, City Clerk, hereby certify that the above and foregoing ordinance was passed by the Council of the City of New Castle, Pa., December 14, 1942, signed by the Mayor and attest by the City Clerk.

In witness whereof I herewith set my hand and affix the seal of said City this 15th day of December, A.D. 1942.

C. ED. BROWN, City Clerk.
Legal—News—Dec. 16, 23, 30, 1942.

Executrix' Notice

Estate of Luther C. Gleason, Deceased, late of the City of New Castle, Pa. Letters testamentary on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment and those having claims to present the same, without delay, to Sara E. Taylor, Executrix, 309 Fairfield Avenue, New Castle, Pa., or to her attorneys, Matthews and Matheny, 462 First National Bank Building, New Castle, Pa.
Legal—News—Dec. 9, 16, 23, 30, 1942, Jan. 6, 13, 1943.

Administrator's Notice

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Administrator, c.t.a. in the Estate of George G. Wellar, deceased, late of the Second Ward of the City of New Castle, Lawrence County, Pennsylvania. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate will make payment and those having claims or demands against the same will present them without delay.

Norman F. Wellar, Administrator, c.t.a., R. D. 6, New Castle, Penna.
Weingartner and Mercer, attorneys.
Legal—News—Dec. 16, 23, 30, 1942, Jan. 6, 13, 20, 1943.

Executor's Notice

Estate of Elizabeth H. Graham, deceased, late of Hickory Township, Lawrence County, Pa. Letters testamentary on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment and those having claims to present the same, without delay to Charles Matthews, Jr., Executor, or to his attorneys, Matthews and Matheny, 462 First National Bank Building, New Castle, Pennsylvania.
Legal—News—Dec. 9, 16, 23, 30, 1942, Jan. 6, 13, 1943.

Executor's Notice

Estate of Harry E. Hunter, deceased, late of Union Township, Lawrence County.

Letters testamentary on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment and those having claims to present the same, without delay to Kenneth Gaston, Executor, King street, New Castle, Pennsylvania, or to his attorney,

WALTER A. KIELER,
462 First National Bank Bldg.,
New Castle, Pennsylvania.
Legal—News—Nov. 24, Dec. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, 1942.

Administrator's Notice

Letters of Administration have been granted to the undersigned in the Estate of Clarence W. McConnell, late of Hickory Township, Lawrence County, deceased.

All persons having claims or demands against said decedent are requested to make the same known, and all persons indebted to said decedent to make payment without delay to

Chester L. McConnell, Admr.,
1007 South 9th Ave.,
Maywood, Ill.
Wylie McCaslin, atty.,
New Castle, Pa.
Legal—News—Nov. 11, 18, 25, Dec. 2, 9, 16, 1942.

In Siberia, a rainbow may sometimes be seen all day long in a cloudless sky. This is said to be due to the reflection of the sun on fine particles of snow in the air.

STOCKS

Some Gains In Stock Market

Trading In New York Market At Best Level In Some Time

(International News Service)

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—The stock market enjoyed an irregular advance in forenoon dealings today with trading at the best level in some time.

Aircrafts, farm implements and specialities were favorites. Gains ran to around a point. In other sections, however, many stocks were barely able to hold above water and in some instances were lower on the day.

Point or so gains were shown by Douglas Aircraft, J. I. Case, American Airlines, and Dow Chemical. Santa Fe came to the fore around noon and was up almost a point.

Small gains were the rule in steels, with Bethlehem rallying after opening lower. Chrysler remained pegged to its previous closing in motors but General Motors gave ground.

Mail orders, oils, most rails, utilities and merchandising stocks edged forward. Du Pont almost a point in an otherwise steady chemical section. Electrical equipments were mixed.

STOCK PRICES AT ONE P. M.

Furnished by Kay, Richards & Co., Union Trust Building

(Averages at 11 a. m.)

Industrial	116.43
Rails	26.19
Utilities	14.08

A T & S F	45¼
Amer Steel Fdry	18⅜
Atlantic Rfg	18⅞
Amer Loco	7¾
Am Rad & Stan S	6⅛
Allis-Chalmers	26⅛
A T & T	126⅞
Amer Smelt & Rfg	36⅜
Anaconda Copper	24⅝
Amer Can Co	71
Am Water W & E Co	3⅛
Amer Tob Co B	42
B & O	3
Barnsdall Oil	12
Bendix Aviation	32¾
Bethlehem Steel	54⅛
Boeing Airplane	15⅛
Canadian Pacific	6¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	33⅜
Chrysler	66
Col Gas & Elec	1¾
Consolidated Edison	15⅝
Cont Can Co	26⅝
Cont Motors	4
Comm & Southern	7-32
Commercial Solvents	9
Curtiss Wright	6⅝
DuPont de Nemours	130¾
Douglas Aircraft	57⅝
Elec Auto Lite	29¼
Elec Bond & Share	1⅞
Elec Power & Light	1⅛
Great Northern	20¼
General Motors	43
General Electric	29⅝
Goodrich Rubber	25⅝
Gulf Oil	36½
Hazel Atlas Glass	91½
Ind Rayon	33⅝
Inter Harvester	57¼
Inter Nickel Co	28⅝
Inspiration Copper	10
I T & T	6⅝
Kennecott Copper	27⅝
Kroger Groc	26
Pepsi-Cola	27½
Lone Star Gas	7⅛
Mid Cont Pet	17⅜
Montgomery Ward	32⅝
N Y C	10
Northern Pacific	7⅛
Nash Kelvinator	6
National Dairy	14⅜
National Cash Reg	18¾
North Amer Aviation	9⅜
National Biscuit	15¼
P R R	22⅛
Pennroad	3⅜
Phillips Petrol	43½
Packard Motors	2⅜
Pub Serv of N J	11
Phelps Dodge	22⅞
Republic Steel Corp	13⅞
Radio Corp	4½
Rem Rand	12¼
Reynolds Tobacco B	23½
Socony Vacuum	9½
Sperry Corp	24⅛
Std Oil of N J	44⅝
Std Oil of Cal	27½
Std Oil of Indiana	26⅞
Standard Brands	3⅞
Simmons Co	15⅝
U S Steel	47
U S Steel pfd	108¾
U S Rubber	24⅝
United Air	24⅜
United Corp	9-32
United Gas Imp	4⅜
Westinghouse Brk	15⅞
Westinghouse Elec	77¼
Woolworth Co	29¼
Yellow T & Cab	12¼
Young Sheet & T	29¼

PRODUCE

(International News Service)

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 16. — All poultry, butter and eggs are wholesale prices to dealers. Supplies are limited.

Poultry: Steady. Heavy hens, 25-26c; leghorn hens, 19-20c; old roosters, 16-17c; rock springers, 27-28; young turkey toms, 31-32; red springers, 26-28c; fresh killed turkeys dressed and drawn, 57c; fresh killed turkeys feathers removed—under 16 lbs., 47c; over 16 lbs., 46-47c; young turkey hens, 34-35c; geese, 20-22c.

Butter: Firm. 92 score, 46¾c; 90 score, 46¼c; 89 score, 44¼c; 88 score, 44¼c.

Eggs: Firm. White extras, 46; white stnds., 44c; brown extras, 43c; firsts, 41c; current receipts, 36.

Government graded eggs (prices to retailers in cases, etc.): White eggs, U. S. ex lg., 54-60c; medium, 47-49c; standard large, 49-52c; medium, 48c; brown eggs, U. S. extra large, 49-50c; medium, 44-46c; standard large, 47-50c; medium, 46c.

Tomatoes: Steady for good stock. Lug boxes, U. S. No. 1, Fla., 6x6, $4-4.25; few fine quality high as $5; 6x7, $3.50-3.75; Texas fine condition, 6x7, $1.50-1.75; 7x7, $100-125; 8-lb. baskets Ohio Hot House, mediums, $2-2.15; large, $1.75.

Cabbage: Steady. Old stock, 50 lb. Danish Pa., 90c-$1; N. Y., $1-1.15; new stock S. C., 1½ bushel hampers, round type, $2.50-1.65; Va. Savoy type, $2.25; Arizona Los Angeles crates, round type, $4.25.

Potatoes: Steady. U. S. No. 1 (unwashed) Me. Chippewas and Katahdins, 100-lb. sacks, $2.50-2.60; 50-lb. paper sacks, $1.15-1.25; 15-lb. sacks, 37-39c. Pa. 100 lb Russet Rurals, $1.90-2.15; (washed) Idaho Russet Burbanks, 100 lb. $3.40; 10 lbs. 38c.

EAST BROOK

GRANGE MEETING

The regular meeting of the East Brook Grange was held in the hall Thursday evening with Charles Cornman, Jr., in charge. A brief business meeting was held after which the lecturer presented a Christmas program.

Roll call, "What you want for Christmas dinner." Each one responded with a Christmas poem, which was entertaining and educational.

History of the carols was given by Mrs. M. M. Ingham, then the group sang those she announced.

The next meeting will be Dec. 31 with the losing side entertaining the winning side from the recent "hunting contest".

Light refreshments were served.

CHURCH CHRISTMAS PARTY

The East Brook U. P. Sunday school is sponsoring a Christmas party in the church Sabbath school room Monday evening, Dec. 21. An interesting program is being planned by the committee.

EAST BROOK NOTES

Earl Pettit is a patient in the hospital.

Frank Shaw is able to be around after an attack of grip.

Little Robert Alborn is visiting at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson.

Mrs. Howard Smith has gone to Oklahoma to live, where her husband is in service.

Mr. and Mrs. James Robinson of New Castle called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin McAnlis and son have gone to their new home in Warren, O., after spending the past week at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Patterson.

The Tower of Babel, at the Chaldean city of Ur in lower Mesopotamia, has completely disappeared. The base of the tower was 300 by 300 feet, tapering through seven stages to the shrine at the top. The height was also 300 feet.

Over-bleaching and too much dye tends to make hair break easily, say experts.

LEGAL NOTICES

Notice

Estate of Louis Haug, Sr., late of Second Ward, New Castle, Pa.

Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned in said estate, to whom all persons having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent are requested to make known the same, and all persons indebted to decedent to make payment, without delay.

Louis A. Haug, Jr., Temple Bldg., New Castle, Pa., Executor.
Legal—News—Nov. 24, Dec. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, 1942.

Legal Notice

Notice is hereby given that Pasquale Salvatore Matteo has filed his petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Lawrence County, Pennsylvania, at No. 11 March Term, 1943, M.D. for change of name to Joseph Matteo, and the Court has fixed February 24, 1943, at 9:00 A.M. as time for hearing.

Joseph Leta, Jr.,
Attorney for Petitioner,
217 L. S. & T. Bldg.,
New Castle, Penna.
Legal—News—Dec. 15, 22, 29, 1942.

Public Sale

ASSETS OF THE PITTSBURGH COMPANY, A CORPORATION TO BE HELD SATURDAY, DECEMBER 19th, 1942, at 2:00 O'CLOCK P. M. (E.W.T.) AT OFFICE OF THE COMPANY, 238 Sixth Street, Ellwood City, Pennsylvania.

By Order of the Court of Common Pleas of Lawrence County, Pennsylvania, at No. 2 June Term, 1933, In Equity, all of assets of The Pittsburgh Company, a Corporation, of every kind and description, real, personal, mixed, vested, and contingent, including any and all reversionary rights and interests, will be exposed to Public Sale at the time and place above stated, by Ray H. Aylesworth, Receiver of The Pittsburgh Company, who will offer and sell the same, subject to approval of the Court. Circulars with further description of sale are available at office of the company.

ASSETS INCLUDE:—

Five service connection refunding agreements with gas company, approximate unrefunded balance $14,053.30; two service connection refunding agreements with water company, approximate unrefunded balance $15,575.28; 313 building lots in Ellwood City and Lawrence and Beaver counties, Pennsylvania; also several parcels of land totaling 9 acres; 94 building lots subject to defaulted articles of agreement; 39 building lots and 3 dwellings subject to active current articles of agreement; 1 six-room dwelling subject to mortgage;

Four mortgages and bonds secured on residence properties; stocks, bond and notes; 15 pieces of office furniture, equipment, and business machines.

RAY H. AYLESWORTH, Receiver.
ORVILLE BROWN, Esq.
RANDALL B. LUKE, Esq.
Attorneys for Receiver.
Legal—News—Dec. 9, 16, 1942.

ELLWOOD NEWS

Local Youths Join Aviation Cadets

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 16—Three more Ellwood City boys have enlisted in the Nation's Armed Service.

They are: Robert Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson, New Castle road; William Fleeson, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Fleeson, Wiley Hill; and William Wallis, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Wallis, Hazel avenue.

They were sworn in as Naval Aviation cadets a week ago, and will leave on Friday, January 15, for induction. They expect to be sent to South Carolina for their initial training.

Ruscille Funeral Thursday Morning

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 16.—Funeral services for Michael Ruscille, who passed away on Monday evening at his home, in Park avenue, will be held on Thursday morning at 9 o'clock from the St. Agatha Catholic church, Fifth street.

Rev. Fr. R. D. Wilkey will officiate with interment to be made in the church cemetery.

Milligan Funeral Time Announced

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 16—Funeral services for William A. Milligan will be held on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the late residence at Frisco.

Services will be conducted by Rev. L. A. Lightfritz, pastor of the Lilyville Church of God, with interment to be made in Locust Grove cemetery.

JOLLY EIGHT CLUB ENJOYS LUNCHEON

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 16.—Mrs. Ross McCowin, New Brighton road, pleasantly entertained members of the Jolly Eight club at a luncheon on Tuesday at her home.

The afternoon was devoted to cards, with the nice awards going to Mrs. Ralph Sanders and Mrs. Manuel Harper. Mrs. Kermit Beecham was a special guest.

Another meeting will be held on Thursday, Dec. 31, at the Sanders home, New Brighton road.

PAUL GAMBLE PLEDGES DELPHIC

Paul Gamble, Hiram College freshman, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin W. Gamble, of 16 Fifth street, Ellwood City, has been pledged to Delphic, one of five men's social clubs on Hiram college campus. He is one of 57 freshmen to receive this honor.

Much of the social life of the campus is cared for by the five dining clubs, which men may join, although they do not operate dormitories for their members.

Gamble, a graduate of Ellwood City high school, intends to enter journalism upon graduation.

WAYNE L. T. L.

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 16.—The Wayne L. T. L. will have a Christmas party and gift exchange on Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Wayne consolidated school. Irene Wehman will be the leader.

NURSES CLUB

ELLWOOD CITY, Dec. 16.—The Nurses club of the Ellwood hospital will meet on Friday evening at 6 o'clock for a Christmas dinner at the First U. P. church.

Richard McCarter, this city, was listed among the Navy enlistees in Pittsburgh on Tuesday. He is the fourth son of Daze McCarter, of Beaver avenue, to enter the Armed Forces.

LIVESTOCK

(International News Service)

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 16.—Livestock:

Cattle: 100, slow. Steers ch. 1550-1650, med-gd. 14-15, com. 1050-1350. heifers gd-ch. 13-14, med-gd. 1050-1250, com. 850-1050; cows gd-ch. 10-11, med-gd. 850-950, canners and cutters 6-850; bulls gd-ch. 12-1350 com-med. 9-1050.

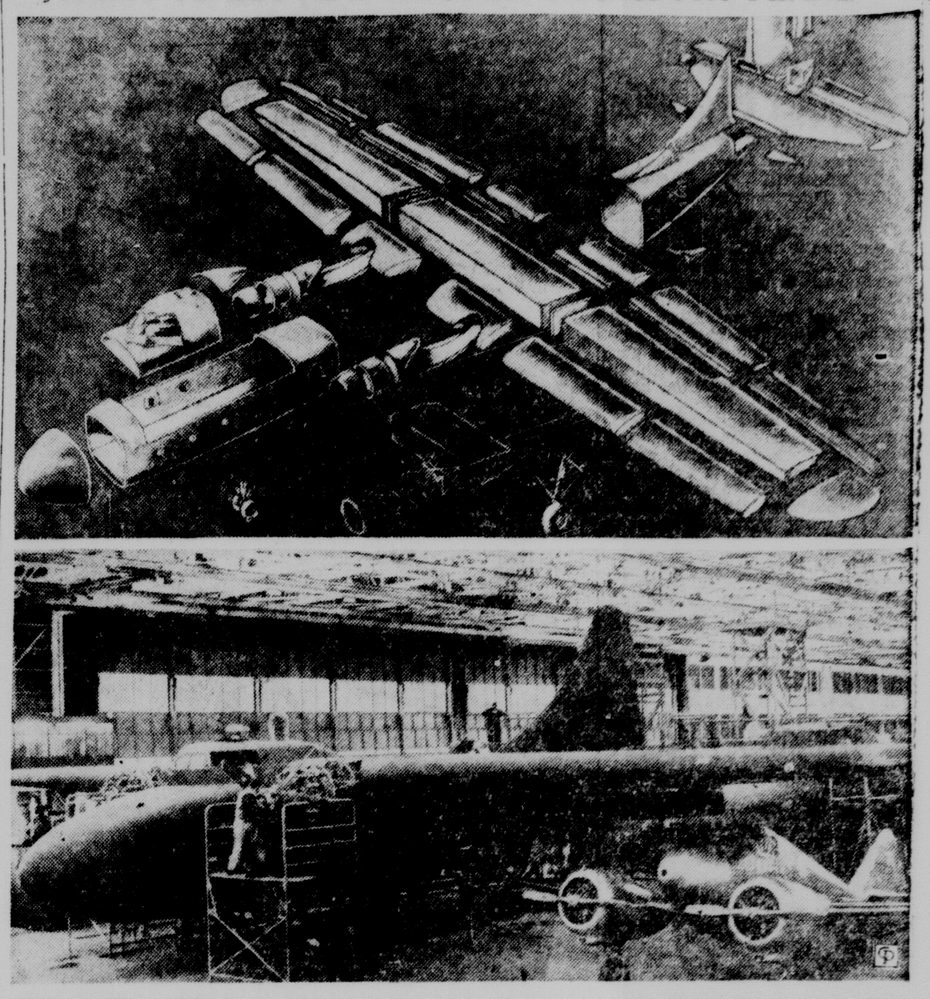
Hogs: 150, active, 10c higher. 160-180 lbs. 1465-75, 180-200 lbs. 1465-75, 200-220 lbs. 1470-75, 220-250 lbs 1460-75, 250-290 lbs. 1455-60, 290-350 lbs. 1425-45, 100-150 lbs. 1350-1450 roughs 13-1375.

Sheep: 600, stdy. Ch. lambs 1550-16, med-gd. 1225-1375, com. lambs 725-925, ewes 450-675, wethers 675-775.

Calves: 100, stdy. Gd-ch. 1650-1750, med-gd. 1450-1550, culls and com. 9-12.

It is said by well informed sources that the Egyptians played billiards hundreds of years before the Christian era, and the Greeks indulged in the sport about 400 B. C.

ARMY TO GET NEW WOODEN TRANSPORT PLANE



The new Curtiss C-76 Caravan transport plane, built of wood, is shown in the above photos. Top photo is a production breakdown showing how sections of the plane are joined together. The nearly completed transport is pictured, bottom, at the plant "somewhere in Missouri," with a Curtiss AT-9 nestling under its wing. The new wooden plane has a wingspread of 108 feet and a length of 68 feet.

Yanks Guard Airport at Safi, French Morocco



These American soldiers are shown manning a 37 mm. anti-tank gun at an important airport at Safi, French Morocco, after the occupation of French Morocco by U. S. troops. This airport is now being used to serve Yank planes and fliers. Allied forces have beaten off enemy attempts to drive wedges into their positions guarding the roads leading to Tunis. (Central Press)

THE OLD HOME TOWN

Registered U. S. Patent Office — By STANLEY



DICK TRACY—TWO MUSKETEERS



William Penn Again Normal After Fire Battle

(International News Service)

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 16.—The William Penn, largest Pittsburgh hostelry, resumed normal operations today following a 21-hour subterranean battle with a fire which claimed the life of one fireman, hospitalized 39 and overcame 150 others.

The dead man was Michael G. Burke, a fireman of nearby Sheraden. All others in the hospital were reported doing fairly well with the exception of three, suffering heavily from smoke.

Although to all outward appearances the blaze was extinguished late yesterday afternoon, it was not over officially until 8:43 o'clock last night, 21 hours and 23 minutes after the dreaded word "fire" was screamed by a pretty night club singer in the hotel's basement night spot—The Chatterbox.

Safety Director E. A. Fairley declared the hotel entirely safe, and said there was no reason why normal operations could not be resumed.

'Y' YULE PARTY THURSDAY NIGHT

Dr. Davis, Croton Minister, To Speak After Gym Program

Members of the senior division classes and men of the dormitory will join for their annual Christmas party in the lobby of the Young Men's Christian Association Thursday evening, December 17.

Dr. Homer B. Davis, pastor of Croton Methodist church, will be the speaker.

A program on the gym floor will open festivities. Before Dr. Davis speaks at 9:30 there will be a songfest. Refreshments will be served by the "Y" staff members following the lobby program.

Physical Director William Winter will direct the gymnasium events.

Reno Is Appointed To Superior Court

(International News Service)

HARRISBURG, Dec. 16.—Attorney General Claude T. Reno of Allentown, scholarly member of Gov. Arthur H. James' cabinet, today prepared to take over his new duties as judge of the state superior court following his appointment by the chief executive.

A close friend of the governor, his selection for the $18,000-a-year post made vacant by the recent death of Judge Jesse E. B. Cunningham of Philadelphia, was anticipated. He is expected to be sworn in towards the end of the month and will serve until January 1944.

Deputy Attorney General E. Russell Shockley of Harrisburg may be appointed to succeed Reno for the remainder of the James administration which ends January 19. The position pays $12,000 a year.

Legion Of Honor To Meet Thursday

Commander Ralph Jordan, of the Legion of Honor of the Valley of New Castle Consistory, today announced that a special program of entertainment has been provided for the regular meeting of the post on Thursday evening in The Cathedral. Motion pictures will be one of the features.

Following the meeting and program, lunch will be served in the dining room.

"Saturday" Schedule Has Been Arranged

Thomas Moore, general manager of the local bus company today announced a "Saturday" schedule here daily until after the holidays.

The schedule will be as follows:

Highland avenue-Seventh ward route, 11 minutes headway.

East Side-West Side route, 12 minute headway.

Croton avenue - Wilmington avenue, 20 minute schedule.

The company keeps 14 buses operating with two in the shop.

FUNERAL TODAY FOR ADOLPH BENSON

A former resident of Bessemer, Adolph Benson, aged 71, died Monday at his home in Youngstown, O. Funeral services are being held in the Ohio city today.

Mr. Benson was the father of Axel and William Benson, both of Bessemer.

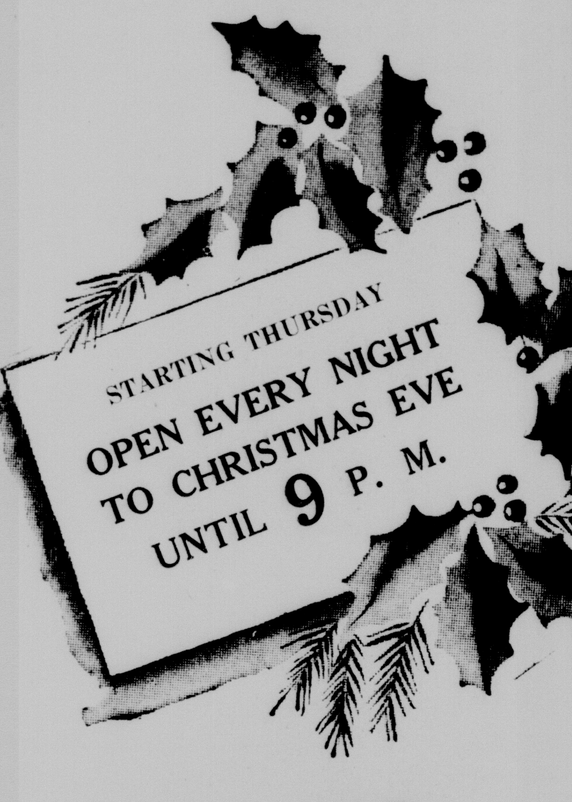
Food shortage: What patriots suffer because everybody else with the price has changed his home into a grocery warehouse.

Every Payday Buy War Bonds or Savings Stamps

The J. R. FREW CO.

35 N. Mill St. New Castle, Pa.
DEPENDABLE FURNITURE

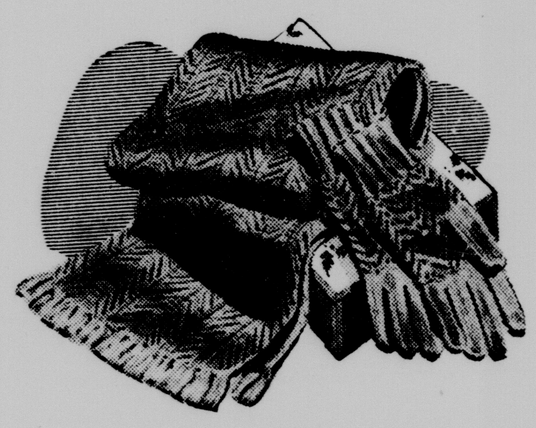
STARTING THURSDAY
OPEN EVERY NIGHT TO CHRISTMAS EVE UNTIL 9 P. M.



Suede Gloves

4-button classic slipons in Brown, Black and Biege Suede with self stitched fingers. Sizes 6 to 7½. Buy them for Gifts. **$3.50**

Main Floor



Scarf and Glove Set

No fear of freezing weather with this trustworthy pair! A fine gift for the utility-minded giver. **$2.95**

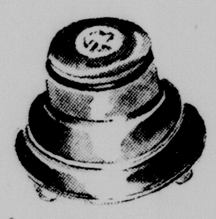
Main Floor

Musical Powder Boxes

Decorated metal powder boxes **$3.98**

Hand decorated porcelain powder boxes **$6.95**

Musical make up box .. **$8.95**



Mirrored Perfume Trays

Cut Glass and Lucite trims ..... **$1.25** Others to $5.95

Perfume Bottles **$1.00**

Main Floor



Men's Socks from Santa

by Interwoven

Rayons in stripes and dots — Novelty cottons — Argyle and Tartan plaids. Sizes 10 to 13; ankle or full length. **65c** 2 pr. $1.25

Main Floor



KIDDIES' WISH LIST

Brother Wishes For...

1—Long Pants like dads **$1.98**

2—Uniform like big brother's **$3.98**
Martial is the word for these 2 to 6 ensembles

3—Holgate Toys, toys that teach .... **59c to $2.98**

4—Wash Suits for Sunday best..... **$1.98**

5—Snow Suits for little folks **$8.95**

6—Navy Coat Set—100% wool **$8.98**

7—Warm Sweaters with a pocket or a zipper **$1.98**

8—Warm Beacon Bath Robes that don't show the soil **$1.98**

9—Flannelette Sleepers .....

One and two-piece styles for 3 to 6 sizes; 2-piece middy style for the lad who wants to look like Dad.

Little Sister's List...

1—Dresses for play and every day **$1.29**

2—Dresses for Sunday and Parties **$2.98**

3—Panties with lace or bows for best **69c**

4—Lace trimmed Slips in cottons or crepes **79c**

5—Quilted and Chenille Robes, sizes 2 to 8 .... **$1.98 to $3.98**

6—Flannelette Pajamas for cold winter nights **$1.25**

7—Pinafores—with eyelet and applique trimmings **$1.98**

8—Colortul print Aprons **69c**

9—Cuddle Toys, stuffed animals that make ideal sleep mates ..... **$1.00 and up**

Second Floor

Boys' Gift Sets

Handsomely Boxed

Tie and Handkerchief Sets 59c, $1.00

Tie and Suspender Set $1.00, $1.19

Scarf and Tie Sets $1.25

Brush Sets 59c, $1.00, $1.59

Tie and Pencil Set 39c, 79c

Tie and Tie Rack Sets $1.00

Belt and Wallet $1.00

Military Kit $1.59

Second Floor

Christmas Giving turns to Socks

A riot of colors and patterns in famous long-wearing Phoenix anklets. Anything you may want—stripes, plaids, dots and many others. Colors to match. Fine quality cottons. Sizes 6 to 9½.

29c

Main Floor



...to solve your gift problem

Lovely Rayon Satin

GOWNS

Give Her Sweet Dreams for Christmas **$1.59**

Highly styled rayon satin gowns, full cut bias styles in shoulder strap and cap sleeve styles. Lace trims, lace and ribbon trims, fagotting and embroidery trims — Tearose, Blue and White. Sizes 16 and 17.

Second Floor





She'll Appreciate These New Pastel and Plaid

Skirts

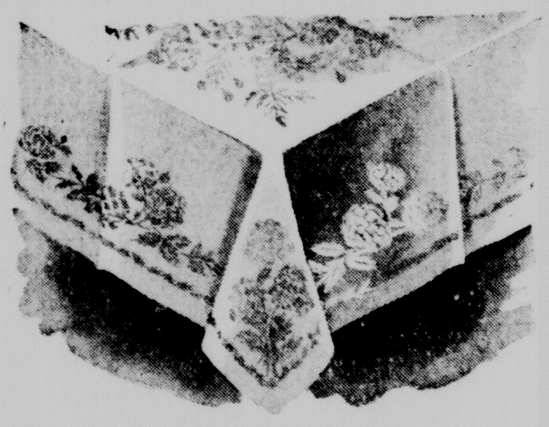
Pastel plaid skirts with box pleats, kick pleats, front and back pleats — the carry all plaid skirt with fullness and huge patch pockets. Pastel Gabardine skirts with box pleats and the carry all in pastel gabardine. Sizes 9 to 15 and 12 to 30.

$3.98

Others $2.29 to $12.98

Second Floor





Rayon Damask

Dinner Sets

Irish, import, rayon damask dinner sets—Beautiful floral designs, size 66x64 with 8— size 18x18 napkins. Colors: Cream or Eggshell. A gift that will add charm to any dining room.

$12.95 set

Spun Rayon and Linen

Lunch Sets

New spun rayon and linen combinations. Hand painted floral patterns on soft pastel backgrounds. Size 54x54 with 6 napkins. A beautiful gift.

$7.95 set

Main Floor

Georgiana Prints

... for Christmas Cheer

Coat styles — shirtwaist styles — Surplice front styles, with square, round, V and convertible neck lines — pleats front and back, unpressed pleats, gored skirt styles. Shirring, button and pocket trims.

$6.98

Sizes 10 to 44 and 14½ to 24½

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